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500 Cuban Rebels Killed



VOTERS—FLETCHER — he is the Attorney General of Iowa —some papers say he may not run again for another term — LET'S HOPE HE DOES NOT — others say some of his assistants may run—if they do — ARE YOU GOING TO SUPPORT FLETCHER OR ANY OF HIS EMPLOYEES after you consider how they HAVE NOT WORKED FOR THE FARMERS?—use your head—I feel sure you will next year and clean out the attorney general's office and the WHOLE GANG. If you don't, then don't expect any favors for farmers.

STEALING MONEY — Joseph Clark, county treasurer of Dubuque has been arrested for supposedly stealing $10,000 from the county—innocent or guilty—he's not the only one — if every county and city official who stole money was CAUGHT—there would be no unemployment in America today because it would take all the men and women continuously working to build jails large enough to hold them all. Those that don't actually steal our funds—give it to organized groups like county boards are now doing to the Medical societies by granting them $10,000 to care for county sick when the year before it was done for about $1800. That's indirect stealing or squandering—it takes doctors who belong to the medical societies, like Dr. Beveridge of Muscatine, who helped put it over on our county board of supervisors — I take my hat off to you, Doc, you are there in pulling your propaganda and now if you can counteract our truths about the BOGUS MONEY-MAKING SCHEMES of operations —x-ray and radium treatments, which we have exposed as mere money makers for doctors and NEVER CURE, the M. D.'s may then be able to get back the fine practice Muscatine doctors enjoyed a few months ago when all it was necessary to do, was to say, "You must hurry to the hospital for an immediate operation"—BUT NOW THEY SAY — "We will go to the Baker hospital first, where they don't advocate operations, x-ray and radium." Huh, Doc?

A GIGANTIC INSURANCE CO. — their false propaganda is sending many a poor sufferer to the grave sooner than they should go —in the leading magazines they carry advertisements supposedly to educate the public about cancer—all they know about curing cancer could be written on the back of a postage stamp—their ignorance is shown when they preach in their advertisements — that operations, x-ray and radium are the three best things to use—that cancer is curable if taken in the early stage —with the latter I agree—but can they show a case ever cured with the above mentioned three methods?—I fear not—at least I would like to see the actual records — without having to content myself with the "say-so" of an insurance company—they are about as unfair about cancer as they are in selling insurance—they charge for old line insurance, almost triple price—I know where I can get old line policies, at about ONE HALF the price their men sell it for — we exposed it in TNT magazine last year—did you read it? — NO —you have been reading Wall Street magazines and never get the real truth. Your table should always have this paper and TNT on it, then you get facts and figures others dare not publish.

SWIFT JUSTICE — it happened in Michigan—young folks crammed in an auto—gasoline thrown over them—a match struck—all burned up—a horrible and terrible death—guilty ones found—tried — sent to prison for LIFE—all in just about 30 minutes — that's justice — lets have more of it and more fearless courageous judges—of course that did not take courage—they had to do it or the people would have rebelled—it was all too terrible — its a good thing we do not know our futures.

5,000 PERSONS HEAR N. BAKER FLAY FLETCHER

Publisher Also Tells Audience of Other State Officers

BURLINGTON, Ia. — (Special) —In one of the most impressive talks ever given by him, Norman Baker, Muscatine, of radio station K-TNT and cancer cure fame, flayed John Fletcher, attorney general of Iowa and his assistant, Gerald Blake, before an audience of 5,000 persons. His address was delivered at Prairie Grove, a few miles north of here Tuesday evening before an audience made up of both city and farm folks. The event was a large community picnic.

The chairman, A. W. Sarrman, introduced Mr. Baker "as the next governor of Iowa." Rounds of applause greeted the chairman.

"Folks, my mind is not on the governship of Iowa." Mr. Baker said as he mounted the platform. "I have enough things to attend to in my own businesses, but regardless of who is your next governor, everyone should remember that next year is election year and it is up to you voters to kick out of office those who have fought against you and the public welfare.

"There are several men whom you should remember in the coming election," he continued, "and if you know of their activities as I do, you would never send them back to office again.

Condemned Without Investigation

"One is John Fletcher, the attorney general of Iowa, and another is Gerald Blake, his assistant. Neither is deserving of public office for the reason that they are your enemies. I say they are your enemies because it is they who are working hand in hand with the Des Moines hospital and deprive cancer sufferers of Iowa of a chance to be cured. They have condemned without investigation — their office has refused to investigate. I have written them personally asking them to do so, but they follow the desires of the medical board without thoughts of you.

"Experts claim that one in every eight persons will have cancer, and, therefore, any man who fights to stop a cancer cure, is an enemy to society and a detriment to suffering humanity. For that reason John Fletcher should not go back into office and neither should his assistant, Gerald Blake.

Applause Greets Statements

Rounds of applause greeted this statement by Mr. Baker, and it was some time before he could continue with his address.

"The papers say that maybe Fletcher will not run," the speaker continued. "Let's hope he doesn't.

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SPENCER TO GET 1932 SESSIONS

Ackley Mayor Heads Iowa League of Municipalities

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia.—(INS)—The 1932 convention of the Iowa League of Municipalities will be held in Spencer, Ia., as a result of action of delegates to the 34th annual convention of the league, in session here today.

Fred E. Trainer, mayor of Ackley, Iowa, was elected president Wednesday afternoon, when routin business of the convention was disposed of. This is the first time in the 34 years of the league's existence that a small town resident has received this honor.

Mayor Crouch of Des Moines was elected vice-president and Frank G. Pierce of Marshalltown, secretary and treasurer for his thirtieth time.

Peddlers Discussed

The problem of the municipalities to find the extreme of regulatory measure on the business of soliciting agents was the main topic of a talk given by R. H. Rockwell, city solicitor of Marshalltown, Iowa, during the Wednesday afternoon

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The WEATHER man says

MUSCATINE: SUNRISE, 4:18; SUNSET, 6:59.

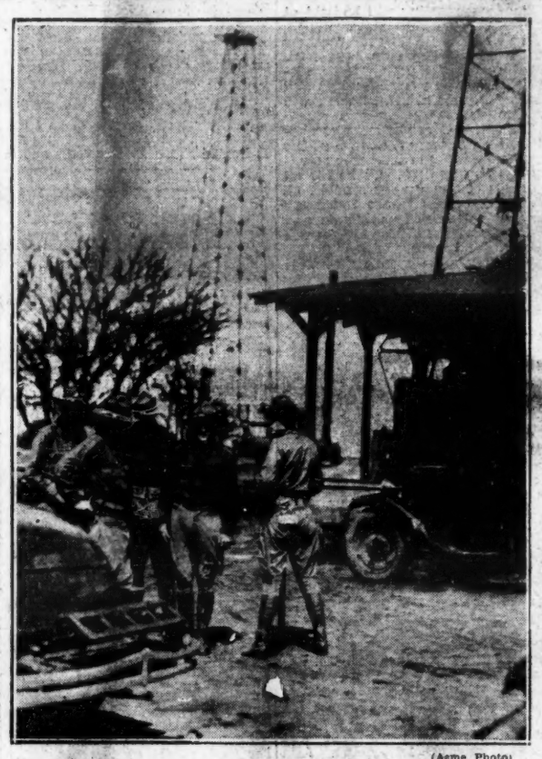
IOWA: Mostly fair tonight and Friday except possibly unsettled Friday in northwest portion. Slightly warmer Friday.

ILLINOIS: Mostly fair tonight and Friday, except unsettled tonight in extreme south portion; slightly cooler tonight in extreme northeast portion; somewhat warmer Friday in extreme north portion.

MISSOURI: Mostly fair tonight and Friday, except unsettled tonight in extreme southeast portion; slightly warmer Friday.

GENERAL FORECAST: Little if any precipitation is likely in the north-central states tonight and Friday, except that local showers may occur in the Red river of the north valley. Temperatures will be slightly higher Friday in some eastern and southern areas, while readings will be lower in the extreme northwest.

State Troops Close Texas Oil Fields



(Acme Photo)

The above picture shows state troops on duty in a Texas oil field where operators have been told to cease production or go to jail.

RICH JAPANESE LOST OFF SHIP

Mystery Surrounds His Disappearance From Liner

NEW YORK—(INS)—The mysterious disappearance from the liner Belgenland of Hisashi Fujimura, multi-millionaire Japanese importer, may be investigated by the federal grand jury, it was indicated today.

Mrs. Mary Reissner, show girl companion of the wealthy Japanese, after six hours of questioning by the district attorney's office, was excused but ordered to appear before the grand jury Monday. Officials said she was in no way connected with the man's disappearance, they believed, but might reveal important information.

Mildred Harris, former wife of Charlie Chaplin, was a hostess at a party on the liner last Friday night when the wealthy importer vanished. Mrs. Reissner, known on the stage as Mary Dale, attended the party.

NORWALK, Conn.— (INS) — Within a week, Mrs. Hisashi Fujimura, wife of the missing millionaire Japanese importer, has run the gamut of humon emotions.

About the time her husband had mysteriously disappeared from aboard the Liner Belgenland, her three-year-old daughter, Mickedo, died.

TWO KILLED IN CROSSING CRASH

Automobile Is Hit by Baltimore and Ohio Passenger

CASEYVILLE, Ill—(INS)--Harry Maltz, 38, a salesman, living at Clayton, Mo., and Jacob Pfeffer, until recently a clothing merchant at Marion, Ill., were dead today as a result of an accident in which Maltz's automobile was struck by the National Limited Passenger train here Wednesday afternoon.

The automobile, in which the two men were riding, was struck as it was crossing the Baltimore & Ohio tracks. The westbound train, which hit the sedan in the center, carried the auto for about 600 feet along the tracks.

Pfeffer's death was instantaneous, while Maltz, who suffered fractured ribs and internal injuries, died forty minutes after the accident, at St. Mary's hospital in East St. Louis.

Pfeffer is survived by his widow, Mrs. Frieda Silberstein Pfeffer, one son, Newton Pfeffer, and one daughter Miss Hazel Pfeffer, his mother, Mrs. Hanna Pfeffer, and two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Mandel, and Miss Susie Pfeffer.

Maltz is survived by his wife, Mrs. Fannie Maltz, a daughter, Lillian, 17, and a son, Bernard, 12.

Funeral services for Pfeffer will be held in St. Louis at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Funeral services for Maltz will be held also in St. Louis at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

DEFENDS POLICY OF LEGIONAIRES

Says Organization Will Not Burden Country

By WILLIAM S. NEAL

WASHINGTON — (INS) — The American Legion "never has and never will" sponsor legislation which places an unjust burden on the country, national commander Ralph T. O'Neil declared today in discussing probable action of the Legion convention to be held Sept. 21-24 in Detroit.

Aroused by criticism of the Legion's advocacy of soldiers bonus legislation in the last congress, and administration pleas to "go slow" on future legislation, O'Neil warmly defended the Legion's policies.

A far-reaching program of federal legislation will be framed at the Detroit convention, he indicated, but added that the legion would consider the country first of all.

"The Legion has never in the past,

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JURY CONVICTS BANDIT KILLER

Robber Found Guilty Of Murder by Jury In Illinois

WATSEKA, Ill.—(INS) — Joseph Jazorak, bank bandit, today was found guilty by a jury of the murder of deputy sheriff Henry Ennen. His punishment was fixed at 32 years imprisonment.

The verdict was returned shortly before noon in Iroquois county circuit court after the jury had been locked up during the night.

Prospects Much Brighter For Illinois Mine Workers

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill.—(INS)—With the internal affairs of the miner's union again assuming a normal atmosphere, after a two-year period of unprecedented strife and dissension, the outlook for the Southern Illinois coal field today was viewed with an air of hopeful anticipation on the part of miners, operators and business interests of Little Egypt.

With virtually all local unions in the state again in good standing with the state and international branches of the union, the miners are rapidly putting their house in order.

With peace again restored to the union, and all branches of the organization functioning with complete efficiency, it is generally predicted that this part of the state will enjoy renewed activity during the fall and winter months.

While the immediate future is visioned with considerable optimism by those who are in close touch with the coal industry, no attempt is made at forecasting what the fates will decree at the expiration of the present wage agreement between the Illinois operators and miners next spring.

Contrasing views are expressed regarding the possibility for a satisfactory agreement that would permit uninterrupted operations in the Illinois coal industry at the conclusion of the existing contract, it is generally concluded that mechanical mining will become an important angle in the negotiations for a new contract. It is over the injection of loading machines and conveyors in mining operations that much of the local trouble has originated to give operators grave concern during the past two years. The introduction of mechanical mining has replaced men in great numbers, resulting in a division of time which has been far from satisfactory to the men. Wild cat strikes have been frequent and stubborn since the beginning of the machine age in the Illinois coal industry

WEATHER STILL POSTPONES HOP OF LINDBERGHS

Rough Sea Is Menace To Airplane Used By Two Fliers

WASHINGTON — (INS) — A radio message from the naval radio station at St. Paul, Alaska, timed 4:46 a. m., Pacific time today, and relayed to the navy department, revealed that Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh were still unable to resume their flight to Japan. The message read:

"J. O. C. (Japenese Radio) reports plane still laying to behind mountains, safe from winds and high seas. Time of departure uncertain. Shimu Shiru Maru standing by."

By JAMES R. YOUNG

Tokyo —(INS) — With the weather thickening and the sea menacing their plane, fog-bound off Ketoi island, in the Kuriles, since yesterday, Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh were forced this afternoon to go aboard the Japanese government steamer Shinshiri Maru.

The skipper of the steamer, which has been standing by the plane ready to lend aid since yesterday, towed it to shore after the Lindberghs had been taken aboard. There it was expected to be safe until the famous couple are able to take the air again.

Radio Set Fails

Her radio set failed Mrs. Lindberg yesterday and the couple was compelled to communicate with the outside world through that of the Shinshiri Maru.

Colonel Lindbergh sent a message after he and his wife had gone aboard the steamer, to the ministry of communications to the effect that he would spend the night on board. He was unable, because of the fog, he reported, to proceed either to Matsuwa bay, fifteen miles away, or to Nemuro, 410 miles away.

The two fliers spent all Wednesday night and most of today tossing in the plane, eagerly waiting for the fog, or "white darkness" to lift and permit them to continue their flight from Petropavlovsk to Nemuro.

No Violation of Air Laws

Colonel Lindbergh went aboard the Shinshiri Maru earlier in the morning at the request of the captain, who later reported to Tokyo that he had questioned the flier. This was interpreted here as meaning that the skipper had complied with the formality and that no violation of the strict Japanese aviation law was in question.

The Lindberghs will be comfortable aboard Shinshiri Maru which is a fairly new vessel of 1,645 tons. It was learned that Col. Lindbergh tried to anchor his plane so he and his wife could remain aboard it during the night, but the anchor line broke. The plane was then lashed to the Shinchiri Maru and the fliers went aboard.

IOWAN HELD IN HAMMER DEATH

Accuse Rich Farmer of Beating War Veteran

HOPKINTON, Ia.—(INS)—Sam Beitz, 60, wealthy farmer, today was accused by a coroner's jury of murder in connection with the death yesterday of Michael Kelly, 38, world war veteran who died of a fractured skull.

Kelly was found in the yard of the John Britt home. Testimony at the coroner's inquest, it was said, brought out that Beitz and Kelly had quarrelled at the Britt home, and Beitz, it is alleged struck Kelly on the head with a hammer.

Hoover Will Render Help To Jobless This Winter

By GEORGE E. DURNO

WASHINGTON—(INS)—As was the case last winter, the Hoover administration will move again this year to render aid to the army of jobless through national, state and local relief agencies.

"Public," or federal, authorities will "cooperate," and once more President Hoover has appointed a personal representative to "mobilize" on a countrywide scale the work of the private and local organizations in extending succor to the unemployed.

Walter S. Gifford, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, will direct this year's coordination of relief for the president. He will set up headquarters in Washington and, in cooperation with the available branches of the federal government, will undertake a cohesive and smooth-running organization.

It was made clear, however, in a White House statement, that such agencies as the American Red Cross, state, county and municipal relief bodies and the like "will have charge of the activities arising out of unemployment." Gifford was given Carte Blanche by the president to "set up and direct" the national headquarters as he saw fit, but it was emphasized that this super-organization was to "reinforce" the existing organizations "which will have responsibility" for handling this winter's breadlines.

In establishing a federal coordinating body for a second consecutive year, Mr. Hoover generally was accepted as having served final notice he will fight the federal unemployment dole in any form uncompromisingly. His utterances in the past have been quite definitely against use of treasury funds to furnish those out of work with food and shelter.

An nationwide advisory committee is to be appointed by the president to assist Gifford. The organization the latter establishes will absorb "the president's emergency committee on unemployment," which functioned last winter under chairmanship of Col. Arthur Woods, and which still exists under the acting chairmanship of Fred C. Croxton. Col. Woods, according to the White House announcement, will continue to give assistance to the new set-up, and presumably will be a member of the new advisory committee.

It was the president's attitude last year-and he was seconded by Chairman John Barton Payne of the Red Cross—that unemployment relief was a matter for the community rather than the government. Failure of the Dole system in England and Germany was cited in substantiation, and it is understood Senator Felix Hebert (R) of Rhode Island, chairman of the special senate committee, who examined the Dole and unemployment insurance abroad this summer, is ready to support him.

NEW U. S. DEBT PLAN IS HINTED

Official Washington Says Announcement Is Premature

WASHINGTON — (INS) — Reports published in London that "a new Hoover plan" is in the making —designed to revise both German reparations and the inter-allied war debts—were characterized in Washington today as premature.

The reported basis of such revision would be capacity to pay, i. e. in view of the prolonged economic depression which has hit all countries the ability of the various nations to live up to present agreements should be re-examined in the light of changed conditions.

Administration officials were extremely loath to comment upon the reports, or upon the verdict of the Basle committee of bankers, which bluntly recommended all-around revision. It is too early, officials said, to talk about tearing up existing contracts such as the Young plan and the inter-allied debt agreements with the United States.

In support of their position that it is yet too early to consider wholesale revision, officials pointed out that the full effect of the Hoover moratorium is yet to be felt. It was only two months ago today that President Hoover startled the world with his proposition for a year's holiday in all inter-governmental debts. The moratorium still has ten months to run, and there is almost certainty that it will be extended for still another year when the question arises next June.

NO MEETING AT KEYSTONE, IA.

Norman Baker, Muscatine business man and publisher of the Free Press, announces that his speaking date at Keystone, Ia., Saturday has been cancelled. The secretary of the committee in charge of the Keystone meeting has resigned and advised Mr. Baker to take matters up with others.

It appears that the town of Keystone is run or bossed by two men, judging from reports received. One is a banker who they say originally studied to be a doctor but could not stand or did not like the sight of blood so he became a banker and left the doctor business. The other fellow is a veterinarian and of course lays close to the banker-doctor.

It seems that some friction arose between a few men. Some wanted Mr. Baker, knowing his drawing powers, and that where he appears thousands go to hear him, besides they wanted their people to hear both sides of the important public questions while the BOSSES want to keep their citizens lop-sided with only one side of the story.

Mr. Baker calls a "spade a spade" in his public meetings and has the courage of his convictions. No one as yet has challenged his recommended measures for relief so they must be O. K.

At Atkins a similar condition exisited. Mr. Baker received threatening letters NOT to appear but he did and drew the largest crowd in the history of the city.

People want the truth and Mr. Baker has struck a happy chord in giving them what they want.

6 ARE INJURED IN PLANE CRASH

Passenger Ship Cracks Up When Landing on Muddy Field

PITTSBURGH — (INS) — Officials of the Trancontinental and Western air lines today began an investigation of the crash of a Chicago-New York plane at rain-soaked Bettis Field Wednesday in which six persons, including two pilots, were injured.

The plane zoomed in from the west during a blinding rainstorm. The pilots planned to "anchor" the plane for the night due to unfavorable weather over the Alleghenies.

As it touched the earth at the boundtry line of Bettis field, the big ship skidded, shot off the crown of a 25-foot embankment and, when it struck the ground again, nosed into the mud, wrecking the under-carriage and breaking the wings.

Low visibility and the condition of the field, resembling a quagmire, were first assigned as causes of the accident although it was reported the plane' brakes failed to work when the plane landed.

STOCKTON BANK FILES 9 SUITS

Various Amounts Are Alleged Due on Note Series

Outstanding promissory notes held by the Stockton bank of Stockton, Ia., which closed several months ago but which was later reopened, are the basis of nine actions filed in the district court today.

The defendants and the amounts claimed to be due on the notes are as follow: Lucy Holst, $1,131.60; Emma Holst, $1,062.60; A. J. Jost, $159.10; Leonard Johannsen, $366.33; Jurgen Ruhberg, $1,090.20; Jurgen Ruhberg, $2,180.40; Earl Holst, $5,464.80; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Holst, $367.08; William C. Steffen and O. A. Bohnsack, $147.65.

Judgment for the above amounts, together with interest and costs and attorney fees is asked in each case. Attorney G. Allbee of Muscatine represents the bank in the suits.

With HOOVER Daily

On August 18

9:30 a. m.—Fred C. Croxton, acting chairman of the President's Emergency Committee for Employment, called to discuss a routine unemployment matter.

10:30 a. m. to 12 noon—The President met with his Cabinet. (Cabinet meetings are held regularly on Tuesday and Friday of each week.)

12:15 p. m.—Paul S. Clapp, of New York, managing director of the National Electric Light Association, called to discuss the economic situation of the public utility industry.

1 p. m.—Representative Treadway (Rep.), of Stockbridge, Mass., called to pay his respects.

3 p. m.—Hugh S. Cumming, Surgeon General of the Public Health Service, called. Subject of conference not announced.

Remainder of day.—Engaged with secretarial staff and in answering correspondence.

REMAINDER ARE UNDER SEIGE IN RAILROAD SHAFT

Filibustering Army Is Put to Route by Government

By CHARLES G. CANNY

HAVANA — (INS) — The little seaport town of Gibara, on the north coast of the province of Oriente, was in ruins today as the smoke of the greatest battle fought on Cuban soil since the Spanish-American war cleared away.

According to an official communique, the remnant of the filibustering expedition, consisting chiefly of American negroes, which landed from a German and Norwegian steamer Monday, has been trapped in a railway tunnel, with siege and naval guns trained on both ends.

Havana Awaits Details

Havana waited breathlessly today for details of the three-day battle and confirmation of reports placing rebel casualties as high as 500 and stating that the German steamer Frederick William II, said to have brought part of the rebel expedition from Miami, Fla., had been sunk by airplanes.

A strict government censorship had kept news of the battle from reaching Havana till Wednesday night when General Alberto Herrera, chief of the army general staff, decided to permit publication of news from the front.

World War Methods Used

World war methods, with improvements, were used in battle at Gibara. As soon as news of the landing of the expedition reached army headquarters the government rushed troops, airplanes and the Cruiser Patria to Gibara, a town with 5,000 population. Rebel forces were estimated at 800 while loyal troops numbered several thousand. Airplanes bombed the town, while artillery and the Patria raked it with shells. Infantry then rushed rebel barricades with bayonets, driving the expeditionary forces through the streets into the tunnel.

RAIL EXPRESS VALUES GIVEN

Taxable Valuations in County Set by State Board

Certificates of assessment of mileage and valuation on railways, telephone and telegraph and express companies in Muscatine county, were received today from the state board of assessment and review by County Auditor Kenneth Coder. The total taxable values will be used in arriving at the amount of taxes to be imposed on the holdings of the companies for the coming year.

The total number of miles and the taxable value per mile are as follows:

B. M. & N. W. railway, 5.5 miles; value, $1.500.

C. M. & St. P. railway 16.72 miles; value, $7.249.

C. R. I. & P. railway, (six divisions), 25.05, 22.77,, 11.88, 19.18, 19.25 and .66 miles, all of a value of $10.31 per mile.

C. D. & M. railway, 16.40 miles, value $2,700 miles.

Railway express company and agencies, 115.51 miles, value, $1,155.10.

Postal Telegraph company, 42.57 miles, value, $4,257.

Western Union Telegraph company, 105.557 miles, value, $17,383.90.

Values have also been received by the county recorder on most of the rural telephone lines of the county.

SENATOR'S GIRL FRIEND IN JAIL

Will Await Report on Condition of Solon Shot in Lovenest

NEW YORK — (INS) — Ruth Jayne Cranmer, "girl friend" of state senator Roy T. Yates, of New Jersey, today was ordered held in jail without bail for another 24 hours until an official report was received on the condition of Yates, who was shot in the apartment of the pretty Ruth.

When Miss Cranmer was arraigned before magistrate Michael Ford she appeared pale and wan. As photographers attempted to take her picture she shielded her face with a magazine.

Then suddenly she fainted and the court was in an uproar.

SUICIDE ATTEMPT FAILS

GENESEO, Ill.—(INS) — After burning three of his farm buildings and unsuccessfully attempting to commit suicide in an effort to forestall a sheriff's sale, Tom Torrence, 65-year-old recluse, was under arrest here today.

LOCAL KIWANIS MEMBERS TO BE AT CONVENTION

L. Elfers, H. Ogilvie, Rev. Hempstead to Chicago Meet

Three members of the Muscatine Kiwanis club will go to Chicago on August 31 to attend the Illinois-Eastern Iowa district convention of their organization, it was announced today. Those who are expected to represent the local club are Howard Ogilvie, president, Rev. C. W. Hempstead, secretary and Louis Elfers, alternate for the district trustee, who is Dr. A. J. Weaver.

The convention will be held from Aug. 30 to Sept. 2 and more than 2,000 are expected to attend. The local delegation is not planning on attending the opening session, but expects to be there in time for the get-together dinner Monday evening, Aug. 31.

This year's convention is being managed by the Hyde Park club with George W. Fleming, a former lieutenant-governor of the district acting as general chairman.

The business sessions of the convention will be devoted to a discussion of the proposal to increase the Illinois-Eastern Iowa district from ten to 12 divisions.

Charles S. Fauers, superintendent of the forest reserves of Cook county and Jacob H. Rubin, who has recently returned from a year's study of conditions in Russia, will be the main speakers. Mr. Fauers will speak on forest reserves and Mr. Rubin will talk on "Russia as I Found it."

Program for 14th Rotary Boys Band Concert Announced

A program consisting mostly of new numbers will be presented Friday night at Weed park by the Rotary Boys Band in their 14th concert of the season being sponsored by three local business firms. Following is the program:

"French Foreign Legion March," Dugat.

Overture, "White Queen," Metra.

And old gypsy folk song, "Otchi Tchorniya," (Black Eyes), Arr. Briegel.

Paraphrase, "The Church in the Wildwood," Pitts.

Concert Waltz, "Dream on the Ocean," (English arrangement), Cung'l.

New Popular Waltz, "The Rose O' My Heart," White.

Vocal Solo, "In the Garden of To-morrow," Bernard Eversmeyer, by Deppen.

An old negro song, "Deep River," Briegel.

Selection from the Musical Comedy, "Junetime," Fulton.

March, "The Future Farmer," Capt. Stannard.

Freshmen Class at 'Hi to Total 175; Many Changes Made

A total of 45 rural freshmen have to date registered at the high school for the coming year to help record one of the largest freshmen classes in the history of the local high school, 175 in all, Fred Messenger, principal, announced today.

Mr. Messenger also announced that the schedule of all classes for the coming year have been completed. Several new books have been added to the shelves of the library and many changes have been made in the various rooms of the building. All the walls have been cleaned and all floors have been varnished.

Mr. Messenger announced that students wishing to make changes in their schedule of classes should do so by the first of next week so as to avoid much confusion the first week of school.

Boston Club Noses Out Pittsburgh in Tenth Frame, 2 to 1

BRAVES FIELD, Boston—(INS)—Wildness of Steve Swetonic, Pirate pitcher, when he passed three men in the tenth inning, gave the Braves a 2 to 1 victory over Pittsburgh in the first game of a doubleheader here this afternoon.

Ed Brandt, southpaw Braves pitcher, scored from third after a long left field fly by Sheely, running his season's wins to 16.

The Braves got their first run in the eighth inning when McGuire, on third, completed a squeeze play with Maranville at the bat.

The Pirates tied it in the ninth on a base on balls and a double by Grantham.

O. Thorpe Was in Kansas Recently, Police Here Told

O. J. Thorpe, who disappeared from the Hotel Grand Monday, June 29, was in Topeka, Kansas, on July 17 or 18, local police have been informed in a letter from William M. Gourhnour, of the Gourhnour Monument company, Corydon, Kansas.

Thorpe's disappearance was first reported when he failed to report for work at the Boland monument works here. For a time it was feared he had drowned in the Mississippi river.

Jones Bound Over To Grand Jury on Nuisance Charge

Calvin Jones, arrested Wednesday afternoon when city and county officers raided the Green Leaf cafe, Second street and Mulberry avenue, waived preliminary hearing this afternoon when arraigned before Justice H. D. Horst on a charge of maintaining a liquor nuisance. He was bound over to the grand jury and his bond fixed at $1,000, which was furnished.

Around the Corner

The following building permits were issued today from the office of H. H. Fitzgerald, city engineer: H. J. Dollman, to put a composition roof on his residence on East Seventh street between Cypress and Poplar streets at an approximate cost of $107; William A. Wierhauser to put an asphalt roof on his residence on Oak street between Ninth and Tenth streets to cost about $200.

New cars were registered Wednesday as follows: F. B. Montgomery, 617 Iowa avenue, Packard 5-passenger sedan; A. Stoltzenau, 916 East Sixth street, Chevrolet sedan; George A. Hahn, 215 West Front street, Chevrolet truck; Kautz Baking company, Muscatine, Littlemac truckette.

Mrs. Jessie Meyers, Moline, Ill., reported to the police that an automobile she was driving struck the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Erlan Schultheis, 308 Orange street, at the intersection of Bartlett and Cedar streets Wednesday evening. The lad was only slightly injured.

Because of the absence of two of the members, the special meeting of the water and light board of trustees which was to have been held Wednesday night, was postponed until next Tuesday night. Bids for minor repair work at the municipal wharf will be received.

The resignation of Mrs. Grayce Stevens Rylander as home demonstration agent for the Muscatine County Farm Bureau, was announced Tuesday by officials of Iowa State college at Ames. The resignation of Mrs. Rylander will take effect on Sept. 1.

Miss Josephine Fry, deputy county auditor, Mrs. L. M. Rippy and daughter, Miss Martha Rippy, Muscatine, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross B. Schafer of Davenport attended the community picnic held today at Cranston.

Demonstration help was given today by Mrs. Grayce Rylander, home demonstration agent to the Goshen-Wapsie Plus Four-H club. Tonight, she will assist the demonstration team of Orono township.

A deed conveying two and one-half acres of land on Geneva island in lot 4, Sweetland township, section 22-77-1w from T. Harry Kern to Harry Kern, was filed Wednesday with the county recorder.

Mrs. Harry Freeman and daughter, June of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., are visiting at the home of Mrs. William Pierce, 614 Demarest avenue. They will go Miles City, Mont., from here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herlein and Mr. and Mrs. John Herlein of Sweetland township left this morning for Crawford, Neb., where they will visit the former's brother, John Herlein and family.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Lesher left for their home at Burlington today after spending the past week at the home of their son, the Rev. Leland Lesher and family. 510 Iowa avenue.

Miss Mame Jericho, for 12 years a deaconess of the First Methodist church here, but who left Muscatine to take up her duties in Denver, Colo., is visiting in the city.

Members of the Morning Glory class of the United Brethren church will hold their monthly meeting and a pot luck supper at Weed park Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans and daughters, Iris, Eileen and Audrey, spent the week-end at the George Snell home, Route 4.

Mearl Wood, 321 West Second street, has been elected to teach social science in the school at Hudson, Ia., near Cedar Falls.

Maid-Rite Sandwich Shop No. 2 Will Be Opened Up Saturday

The Maid-Rite Sandwich has met with such popularity in Muscatine that Shop No. 2 has been created to supply the demand for them.

Fred Angell, originator and patentee of the sandwich and the process will welcome the public to the new shop at 1033 Hershey avenue —Saturday, which will be the grand opening.

There will be a band concert in the evening with plenty of good, popular music. Ample parking space has been provided to accommodate the crowds.

One of the features to be offered will be a free hot or cold drink with each Maid-Rite Sandwich sold on the opening day.

Mr. Angell, who is a meat man of long experience, now has a string of Maid-Rite Shops reaching from the Mississippi river to the Pacific coast.

Muscatine is headquarters of the Maid-Rite chain. Operators of these shops are sending in reports showing the universal popularity of the Maid-Rite sandwich.

Iowa Bank Fails To Open Up Today

DUNCOMBE, Ia.—(INS) — The Duncombe Savings bank here, a state-governed institution, failed to open its doors for business this morning. It has a capitalization of $25,000 and deposits of $175,000.

William Kelly is president of the bank and L. V. Miller, cashier.

DISTRICT COURT

Judge D. V. Jackson, Wednesday afternoon sustained a portion of the defendants motion to strike in the action of H. James T. McDowell against Jennie E. Smith and others to have the will of Minnie B. McDowell, admitted to probate on July 22, 1930, set aside.

The report of Blanche W. Mittman, guardian of Junior Mittman, was approved by the court on the filing of a new bond of $5,000. A Allbee is attorney for the guardian.

MUCH ACTIVITY NOW DISPLAYED BY CANDIDATES

Workers Enter Into Home Stretch of Close Race

With only a few hours in which the candidates can entrench themselves behind enough votes to win, a thorough tireless canvass is being carried on by the busy workers in every nook and corner of the territory.

The beautiful motor cars, equipped and ready for the road stand waiting for their owners to kick the starters and step on the gas. These big cars or cash awards are truly wonderful gifts for a few weeks spare time effort.. Considering that the value of these motor cars or the big cash awards runs into thousands of dollars, it is not strange that these live, energetic candidates are speeding up their pace and are preparing with intense activity for the best remaining opportunity of piling up a winning vote total.

Any of the leading candidates can win the best of the prizes with a little real effort these remaining hours as the race now stands.

Every hour, every minute in the short time that remains should be utilized to the fullest extent, by those earnest workers who really want to take advantage of what may prove to be the greatest event in their lives. It seems to be "do or die" today.

It is really a wonderful race between the most popular and most capable representatives of the people of this community and as exciting, perhaps, as any like competition that has ever been inaugurated in this section of Iowa. The many friends of the candidates in this immediate territory are watching and hoping that their favorite will come under the wire first. Is it any wonder, when the value of the prizes that are at stake is taken into consideration! Honor! glory and a small fortune await the victors on Saturday night.

Mr. Reader, this is your last opportunity to help your favorite candidate, who knows, your subscription may be the very one needed to put that candidate over the top for one of the big awards.

Who will drive these care away? Who will win the big cash prizes? Muscatine and this vicinity these days. Just a few more circuits of the hour hand and these questions will be answered.

The final results seem to be as much in doubt as ever. Endeavoring to eliminate as much of this doubt as possible, candidates in all districts seem to be scouring the territory as the race for supremacy is rushing forward nip and tuck. Many of those who, according to their vote standings have been having "hard luck" or probably have been unable to develop their territory as effectively as some of the others up to date may spring some surprise. This may cause some of the over-confident ones to go down in defeat. Overconfidence is one of the greatest handicaps under which a candidate can work. The only way to be sure of winning is to spend every possible minute scouring for subscriptions. Perseverance is a big factor in winning and just think what is at the top of the ladder of success for the plucky ones. Let's go for what winning finish Saturday night.

Every candidate who has not done so is urged to compare their vote totals with the records of the Free Press and no corrections will be made after Friday.

Farm Board Would Be 'Glad' to Sell Wheat to Chinese

WASHINGTON —(INS) — The federal farm board has advised the state department that it would be "very glad to enter negotiations" with the Chinese government for the sale of a quantity of stabilization wheat, Chairman James C. Stone announced today.

It is understood that the initial query of the Chinese government was for the purchase of approximately 15,000,000 bushels, but owing to the growing seriousness of the flood situation in that country, an additional 20,000,000 bushels might be purchased.

If any sale is made it will be a "straight obligation on the part of the Chinese or Nanking government, and the credit terms would range from three to four years," Stone said.

Feeble Minded at Hospital Bound in Sacks, Is Charged

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—(Special)—Accusations that feeble minded children in the Enid state hospital have been locked in refrigerators, tied in sacks for days with only their necks protruding, and held under water were made in affidavits submitted Tuesday to Gov. W. H. Murray.

Mrs. Mabel Bassett, commissioner of charities and corrections, presented more than 140 pages of testimony, allegedly taken from inmates and officials of the institution.

"I ask that Ed H. Andruss, the superintendent, be dismissed immediately; that three women and two men employes be discharged because of cruelty, and that the state investigation bureau be instructed to aid me in finding a boy who disappeared after a beating," Mrs. Bassett said.

Andruss has denied all charges. "Evidence shows that boys were placed in heavy canvas sacks, tied around their necks, compelled to lie on a concrete floor in filth, and denied food for two or three days, except bread and water," said Mrs. Bassett's report.

"Straps, boards, broom and mop sticks are used to strike the children. Straight jackets have been used for girls who were found in some cases tied to beds and gagged."

N. Baker Follower Walks 14 Miles to Hear Ollie Speech

It takes more than rain to stop followers of Norman Baker. This fact was brought to light Tuesday afternoon when the local publisher and business man was scheduled to deliver an address at Ollie, Ia.

R. M. Ingle walked 14 miles, part of the distance through rain and mud that day, to hear the scheduled address of the Muscatine man. He got up at 4 a. m., so he would have time to get to Ollie before Mr. Baker started his speech. He walked from Sigourney to Ollie.

The heavy rains prevented Mr. Baker from delivering his address, but Mr. Ingle is not daunted by his disappointment in not getting to hear him talk. He has announced his intention of going to Wellman Saturday night to hear Mr. Baker give his talk there.

TWO IOWANS TAKE THEIR OWN LIVES

DES MOINES —(INS)— Reports of two Iowa suicides had reached here Wednesday afternoon.

John Benesh, 82, was found dead in his gas filled tailor shop in Cedar Rapids this morning. A coroner's verdict of suicide cited age and ill health as possible motives. The body was found by his wife.

Financial troubles are blamed for the death of Bert Crawford, 42, who ended his life early this morning by hanging himself in a Lemars cemetary.

Crawford lost his job in a theater a week ago, allegedly because of use of alcohol. He is survived by his widow and two adult children, one of whom is married.

The body was found by John Steffen assistant custodian of the cemetery.

Muscatine Girls Will Be Awarded Degrees at S. U. I.

Two Muscatine girls are included in the list of 276 graduates who will be awarded degrees and certificates tonight with the close of the second summer term of study at the University of Iowa. Leona Griffin will receive a bachelor of arts degree and Gladys Sissel will be awarded a master of arts degree.

Exercises are to be held on the west lawn of the university campus and the all-state high school band, which has been training at Iowa City for the past five weeks, is to furnish a special attraction.

Eugene A. Gilmore, dean of the college of law, is to deliver the commencement address, and President Walter Jessup is to address the graduates at the traditional commencement supper.

The commencement marks the third consecutive ceremony in which the records for number of awards has been browen. At the June convocation, the diplomas and certificates totaled 1,070. In July, the first term of summer session closed with 216 candidates on the roster.

Body of Beautiful Blonde Is Found Along Rail Track

KENOSHA, Wis.—(INS) — The body of a pretty blonde woman about 30 years old was found today along a railroad right of way near Silver Lake, Wis., twelve miles west of here.

No marks of identification were found on the body. Coroner A. E. Schmitz and Sheriff Steve Robinson could not determine cause of death after a preliminary examination.

Additional Society

Dinner Party Held At Blake Home

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Blake entertained a group of friends at their home at the end of Mulberry avenue, Wednesday evening in honor of their twenty-eighth birthday anniversary and also in celebration of their daughter Wilma's birthday.

Five hundred was played at four tables with ladies first prize going to Mrs. Everett Bronkema and second prize to Mrs. Laura Dowdell, men's first prize going to Carl Philfer and second to Archie Wenak and consolation prizes to Mrs. George Schweitzer and Hilton Brown.

Following the games a supper was served. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wenak, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dowdal, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bronkema, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Brown, Mrs. Bertha Roby, Eric Bartell, Mr. and Mrs. George Schweitzer, Miss Wilma Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darons of Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake received many presents from the guests.

FINKLE'S Money Saving SPECIALS

Men's Heavyweight Overalls—Regular $1.29 Value —For Friday and Saturday **67c**

Men's Dress Oxfords—All solid leather . . . Regular $2.98 Value, for Saturday only— Pair **$1.98**

Men's Romeos — Solid leather . . . in black or brown. Special, per pair **$1.49**

Ben Finkle General Store

"More Values for Less Money"
322 E. Second St. Muscatine

PLAN MEETINGS FOR TEACHERS

Rural Grade Studies Will Be Discussed At Conferences

A series of teachers' conferences preliminary to the opening of the fall term of study in the rural schools, was arranged today by E. D. Bradley, county superintendent of schools.

Approximately 60 percent of the schools in the country districts will resume their school sessions on August 31, and for teachers of these schools, two meetings are announced. The first conference will be held on Friday, August 28, at 1:30 at the superintendent's office, and will be for all new teachers and beginners.

The next meeting will be held at 1:30 p. m. on Saturday, August 29, and will be for hold-over teachers whose schools begin on August 31. Supplies for the year will be distributed by the superintendent and plans for general school work will be discussed.

Two general conferences are arranged for Saturday, Sept. 5 at the superintendent's office. The morning session, at 9:30, will be for all teachers of the county schools. G. M. Bruckner of Chicago will speak on the teaching of arithmetic and J. C. Quederkirk of Des Moines will discuss the teaching of reading.

The afternoon meeting at 2:30 will be for all teachers engaged by the county last year, and whose schools begin on Sept. 7 or 8.

Mercury Is Lower Here After Light Rain, Fair Tonight

Cooler weather was enjoyed here today following a fall of .10 of an inch of rain late Wednesday afternoon. The state report for today is mostly fair tonight and Friday except possibly unsettled on Friday in the northwest portion. Temperatures are expected to rise slightly on Friday.

The mercury reading at 7 a. m., today was 66 degrees, four less than on Wednesday morning. Skies were partly overcast here today. The Mississippi river fell 4 inches in the past twenty-four hours to a new low mark of .3 feet above the low water mark.

General but rather light precipitation was reported over the state during the past twenty-four hour period. Burlington reported the greatest amount, 1.63 inches. Alta reported .92 inches. Estherville reported :57 inches and Cedar Rapids .51. Several other stations reported amounts varying between one-quarter and one-half of an inch.

Edison's Condition Remains Unchanged

WEST ORANGE, N. J. —(INS) —Thomas Alva Edison's condition remained unchanged today and his health was generally fair, it was said at his home today.

Inasmuch as his room is air cooled, it was said, he has hardly noticed the heat.

AIRPLANE CRASH BEING PROBED

Four Persons Killed As Passenger Ship Falls In Canada

RAINY LAKE, Ont.—(INS)—An investigation was opened here Wednesday to determine cause of the accident which Tuesday carried four occupants of a provisional air service plane to sudden death.

The crash occurred just after the party had sighted George Delehaye who had been missing since his plane was wrecked Monday, for whom the four were searching Delehaye was the only witness.

The dead are P. A. Hutton, pilot, Toronto; C. B. Geer, air engineer, Sault Ste. Marie; A. J. Runciman, Strafford, Ont., co-pilot and J. V. Stewart, Toronto, district forester.

Delehaye stated their all-metal Hamilton Transport machine was swooping down to pick him up from an Island where he was marooned, 20 miles from Fort Frances on the American side, when the ship slipped out of a vertical bank and hurtled 200 feet to the surf It landed about 15 feet from shore

Iowa Truck Owners Ordered to Appear Before Commission

DES MOINES—(INS)—Twenty-five Iowa truck operators today were ordered to appear before the Iowa State Board of Railroad commissioners to answer charges of failure to assess rates and charges in accordance with schedules prepared by the board.

The operators were ordered to appear for hearing Sept. 15, at the offices of the Woodbury county auditor.

Hearing on similar charges against 28 operators recently resulted in suspension of one license for thirty days and 27 for 15 days.

Ely Is Exempted From Tax Slash

DES MOINES — (INS) — The town of Ely, Linn county, today was granted exemption from the mandatory five percent tax cut imposed by the Elliott law passed by the 44th general assembly.

Budget Director Oscar Anderson granted the exemption under authority provided in the law.

Ely has 172 inhabitants, according to the 1930 census. Anderson granted the town permission to levy the same tax it imposed last year.

Ten school districts were granted exceptions from the cut this morning.

With Sick Friends At Baker Hospital

New patients admitted to the Baker hospital today are August Adrain, Maquoketa, Ia., Mrs. Lulu Edwards, Muscatine and Gerben Haga, Hudsonville, Mich.

Speaking Dates Of Norman Baker

Many of our friends have phoned and written us regarding the various speaking dates arranged for Norman Baker, and we are pleased to mention them as follows:

August 20—Mt. Pleasant, Ia. All day community picnic Saunders' grove. Speaking at 2 p. m.

August 22 — Wellman, Iowa. Speaking at 8 p. m. Wellman editor especially invited to be present.

August 23—Charles City park. Speaking at 8 p. m.

August 24—New Vienna, Ia., Speaking at 3 p. m.

August 26—L[illegible]te, Ia. Speaking at 8 p. m. Band concert.

August 28 — Gladwin, Ia.—About eight miles north of Columbus Junction. Speaking at 8 p. m.

August 29—Abington, Ia. Annual Community picnic. Speaks in Afternoon.

August 30—Clutier, Ia. Speaks at meeting called 'Koloch Day' at 2:30 p. m.

Sept. 1—Coggon, Ia. —All day big community picnic by American Legion and Commercial club. Speaking at 2 p. m. and at 8 p. m. by Norman Baker.

September 7—Labor Day farm celebration at Spring Lake, Ia., in Green County. Will speak at 1:30 p. m. To make trip by airplane.

September 7—Toronto, Ia., at 8 p. m. Will make trip by airplane.

On all above dates where possible, Mr Baker will furnish the Calliaphone music and public address system of loud speakers to accommodate the crowds.

Speaking dates can be arranged for the appearance of Mr. Baker. Address him at Muscatine, Iowa.

Meyers Will Give Report at Chamber Of Commerce Meet

Because of the accumulated business, there will be no entertainment feature at the Friday noon meeting of the chamber of commerce, it was announced today. Frank N. Meyers, secretary of the organization, who has been attending the National Institute for Commercial and Trade organization executives at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., will give a report of the course.

All Friday meetings of the chamber of commerce are open to anyone interested in the betterment of the community, whether or not they are a member of the chamber.

County Road and Bridge Jobs Are Viewed by Board

Members of the board of supervisors made a general tour of the county today to inspect various road and bridge jobs now under construction. Condition of roads, bridges and culverts in the county were also inspected by the board. County Engineer F. P. G. Halbfass accompanied the supervisors on the tour. It is expected that a discussion of the needed improvements will be made at the next meeting to be held on Aug. 31.

DO-X CONTINUES ITS LONG FLIGHT

ABOARD SEAPLANE DO-X — (INS) — With her next stop scheduled to be in American territory, the giant German seaplane DO-X left Port of Spain, Trinidad, at 6 a. m. E. D. T. today for San Juan, Porto Rico.

We arrived at Port of Spain at 2:15 p. m. yesterday after a beautiful flight from Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, where the military band of the Surinamians, a German colony, serenaded us as the great seaplane went aloft to continue its journey from Rio to New York. We left Paramaribo at 10:45 a. m. thrilled by the welcome we received there. Flags hung from almost every building of the city of 40,000 and practically all the inhabitants gave us a send off.

Walcott Girl Wins In Health Contest

DAVENPORT, Ia. — (INS) —Verona Jepsen, 15, Walcott, Ia., today was credited with a perfect score in the 4-H girls' health contest at the Mississippi Valley fair here.

Verona is five feet, five inches tall and weighs 130 pounds. She scored 100 percent, winning over a field of 86 contestants.

Loretta Meyer, also of Walcott, won second place with a score of 99.6.

Miss Jepsen will compete in the health contests at the Iowa State fair, which opens next week.

Bandit Trio Gets $135 in Plunder

ST. LOUIS—(INS)—Police here today were hunting the bandit trio of two men and their woman companion, who invaded the Rinie Hardware and Paint company, Wednesday night and obtained $135 in cash and a $50 wrist watch.

George Rinie, proprietor of the store, his wife, Mrs. Cecelia Rinie, and a customer, Joseph Graf, were conversing when the two gunmen and their woman companion, who was also armed, stepped in.

The woman companion, about 35-years-old, was dressed entirely in black and flourished a small automatic pistol.

Lowden Will Speak at Iowa State Fair

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS) — Former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois has been invited to address farm organizations and tax leagues of Iowa at the Iowa state fair, Wednesday, Sept. 2, according to an announcement here Wed. by the committee in charge of the farm program for the annual exposition.

"Governor Lowden has been the outstanding leader in the long fight for farm relief and our people have great confidence in his opinions and advice," the committee stated in announcing the invitation.

ILLINOIS DEAN RETIRES

URBANA, Ill.—(INS) — Thomas Arkle Clark, for 30 years dean of men at the University of Illinois, passed into retirement today.

NATIONAL Bellas Hess Co.

117-119 E. Second St. Phone 183 Muscatine, Iowa

GREAT PRICE REDUCTIONS

Every piece of merchandise that as much as suggests Summer must go. Prices have been cut in half and more. Come early!

In The Piece Goods Department

Group 1. 36-in. Percale, 36-in. Pique, 32-in. Gingham, Pajama Checks and plain colored Nainsook. Most of this merchandise has been reduced from 15c. *Yard* **10c**

Group 2. Percale, Rayon Crepe Dimity, Voiles and Batiste. Every yard guaranteed fast color. Materials in this group formerly sold for 29c per yard and more. *Yard* **15c**

Group 3. Dress Ginghams, Voiles, Dimities, Dress Linen and Batiste. An excellent group of fine fast color dress materials. Reduced from 39c. *Yard* **19c**

Group 4. All of our fine Radium Silks, Rayon Voiles, Broadcloths, and Rayon Crepes in this group. Reduced from 59c to this exceedingly low price. *Yard* **29c**

Group 5. Fine Silk Crepes, plain and printed Shantungs. Every yard must go. These silk formerly sold for 79c and 98c per yard. *Yard* **49c**

Group 6. All of our Summer $1.29 Silk Crepe and Voiles reduced for immediate clearance, 39-40 inches wide **79c**

Soap. Hardwater Castile. Good large cakes. There is only a limited quantity so be here on time. No limit. 8 *bars* **25c**

REMNANTS 1/2 PRICE GOING AT .....

Pajamas . . . of broadcloth and sheer goods. Many rayons of two-piece style. This merchandise reduced from $1.98 for quick clearance **$1.00**

Rayon Undies. A large group of fine rayon Step-ins, Panties, Bloomers and Shorties. All shades and most sizes. Reduced from 89c **49c**

House Dresses. Only 150 dresses in this group. Formerly sold for 59c. Most sizes and all styles. Fast color materials **39c**

Silk Dresses. We have cut the price of our summer silk dresses so now the price is only $1.48. Many of these dresses sold for $4.95 and $7.95 six weeks ago **$1.48**

SPECIAL . . . White Coats . . . that formerly sold for $3.00 are now down to this last final price for clearance **$1.00**

SOCIETY CHATTER, FEATURES *and* HELPFUL HINTS *for the* WOMEN

Reunion Planned By Six Lutheran Church Pastors

The most outstanding event on the Grace Lutheran church calendar next week will be held Sunday morning with a reunion of six pastors and their families from other parishes at the local church services. All six pastors have gone into the ministry since the Rev. Leland Lesher came to Muscatine and he plans to make this reunion a special occasion.

At 10:15 the Rev. John Gent, pastor of the First Lutheran church at Cedar Rapids, will preach and will be assisted by the other five pastors. Those from other towns who will attend are Mrs. Gent, the Rev. and Mrs. William Klink, the former pastor of the Lutheran church at West Point, Neb., the former being the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Klink of this city and Mrs. Klink was formerly Miss Cora Angersbach; the Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Windman of Everett, Pa., the former the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Windman of Carthage, Ill., former Muscatine residents; the Rev. and Mrs. Fredrick Boldt of Ft. Madison, the Rev. Mr. Boldt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Boldt and Mrs. Boldt was the former Isabelle Christenson; the Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Angersbach of Constantine, Mich., the Rev. Angersbach being the son of Mrs. Julia Angersbach; the Rev. and Mrs. William Boldt of Emporia, Kan., the former also being a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boldt of this city.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the church congregation will hold a picnic at Weed park honoring their visiting pastors and families. Each family of the congregation is required to furnish one basket of food, silver, dishes and sandwiches. The committee will provide coffee and ice cream.

In case of rain the picnic will be held in the church parlors.

Dinner Party Held At Walker Home

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Walker of Moscow entertained 13 guests at dinner Monday evening. The ensuing hours were enjoyed socially with the following guests attending: Mr. and Mrs. John Ewald and children, Blanch, Betty, Dorothy, Joan and Buddy, of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Irving Winings of Watkins, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Grant McConnaha, Miss Vella Windman, Mr. and Mrs. Will McConnaha and children, Betty, Margaret, Alice, Billy and Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Walker and son Robert Grant.

C. D. A. Entertain Families

The Catholic Daughters of America entertained their families Wednesday at an outing and picnic supper. During the afternoon the group enjoyed the various diversions at Weed park and at 5 p. m. adjourned to the K. C. club rooms for the supper. There were 47 present for the affair and the evening hours were spent socially.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the event included Mrs. Margaret Nevitt, chairman, Mrs. Ella Delaney, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson and Mrs. Myrtle Flannery.

The Catholic Daughters will meet in business session September 14.

Cedar Street S. S. Has Outing

The Sunday school of Cedar Street Methodist church enjoyed an outing at Weed park Wednesday. A ball game and various contests and pastimes were held during the afternoon and because of rain the group had a pot luck picnic in the church basement. Those in charge of arrangements were Stanley Southal, general chairman and Mrs. Lyle Hocke's Sunday school class in charge of the refreshments with Mrs. C. W. Bloom as chairman of the committee.

Heinz Family Have Outing Wednesday

Members of the Heinz family enjoyed an outing at the John Heinz cottage on the Mississippi river below Buffalo Wednesday. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heinz, of Muscatine; Mr. and Mrs. George Herman and family and Miss Alice Heinz, Davenport; Mrs. Theodore Hansen and daughters of Bramer, Ia. and Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Heinz of Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Canaar Is Aid Hostess

Mrs. J. H. Canaar, 1106 East Ninth street, was hostess to members of Division D of the United Brethern church Ladies' Aid society at her home Wednesday afternoon. The ten participants spent the time carding buttons.

Next Thursday the group will convene at the church for a business meeting.

Gleaners Class Will Have Picnic

The Gleaners class of the First Friends church will have a picnic at Musser park Friday evening. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock..

Mrs. Dunker Entertains M. W. Club Women

Mrs. Kate Dunker, Maiden lane, entertained the members of the M. W. club of the Royal Neighbors at her home Wednesday evening. A business meeting was followed by a social time and the hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Fannie Holzhauer, 516 Main street, will be the next hostess of the club.

Grace Lutheran Aid Convenes

Mrs. Harvey Fix and Mrs. C. L. Groves served as hostesses when the Ladies Aid society of the Grace Lutheran church met Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors.

Next Wednesday Mrs. J. Grimm and Mrs. Lloyd Grimm will entertain the aid members at the church.

Just 20



(Acme Photo)

The above picture shows Miss Elinor Smith, aviatrix, who has held several records and who now contemplates a solo flight across the Atlantic ocean, cutting her birthday cake in her home in New York City last Monday, when she observed her twentieth birthday.

Friends Aid Meets On Wednesday

The Ladies Aid society of the First Friends church met in all-day session at the church Wednesday. A pot luck dinner was served at noon. The members carded buttons and conducted a rummage sale. Among those present was Mrs. Harry Freeman, Pa., who is the guest of Mrs. Will Pierce, 615 Demorest avenue.

Former Local Girl Weds Davenport Man

Announcement is received here of the marriage of Miss Mary Logan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Logan of 512 Perry street, Davenport, former residents of Muscatine, and Charles McKee, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKee of Davenport.

The service was read on Saturday at St. Anthony's church rectory in Davenport. The Rev. J. W. Bulger officiated.

'The Rock' Will Be Presented

"The Rock" will be presented by the Drama League members of the First Methodist church on September 8 in the church auditorium, according to arrangements made at the regular business meeting of the league Wednesday night at the church. The play will be directed by F. G. McCullough.

When rolling out the last of your doughnut mixture try rolling in a few cleaned currants. Then cut in small fancy shapes and fry in the usual manner. The kiddies will like them—the grown-ups, too.

Corset Is Back In Vogue; Salmon Color Prevails

By ALICE LANGELIER

PARIS—(INS)—Corsets are coming back with Victorian fashions, closely-fitted effects, shapely basques, and so forth, resembling not a little the "Old Ironsides" great grandmother used to don. The corset has numerous stays and guessts and is made in salmon or rose-colored moire backed with satin. As on all French corsets, there is fine lace trimming.

A new corset which is the last word in fitted chic comes with the front half of fine elastic, higher than the back which is of satin or fine fabric moulded to the shape of the figure. The height is slightly accentuated so that it rises a little above the position occupied by the grossgrain of the belt and clasps on a narrow bone, one of the three placed in the front.

Another French corsetiere is showing a woven model, absolutely boneless, washable, non-shrinking and durable. It pulls on and stays in place by the garters attached to the stocking.

Charmis is showing a long corset in moire and satin ribbon of salmon shade with a V elastic in front. An American "scanty" model which, by the way, has never been so popular with the French, is of double-faced salmon satin ribbon with incrustations of pink Alencon lace and inset of elastic in the back. Salmon seems to be the chosen color for corsets and all kinds of lingerie this season.

Zenith Club Holds Supper Meeting

Members of the Zenith club and their advisor, Miss Lucy Milligan, secretary of the Y. W. C. A. met at the association building Wednesday evening for a picnic supper and social meeting.

Movie Briefs

LOS ANGELES —(INS) — Mr. and Mrs. Maculey Ross had taken steps today to end their marriage and become Ethel Clayton, stage and screen star, and Ian Keith, actor, once again. Mrs. Ross charged her husband with failure to support her and with drunkenness.

HOLLYWOOD— (INS)— Mary Nolan, pretty film actress, will stand trial Sept. 11, on a charge of failing to pay wages to employes. She was arrested Wednesday while standing on a street corner and was released on small bail.

HOLLYWOOD — (INS) Ned Sparke, film comedian, is as uncommunicative as he is unsmiling. Today he revealed that last October he married Mercedes Caballero at San Bernardino.

The Decorator's Letter Box

EXPERT ADVICE ON HOME DECORATION



Here Is a Delightful Living Room.

Dear Beth:

I'm glad you're one of those "Missouri-minded" girls who have to be shown. The reason you shouldn't make your home an exact copy of mine is not that I would care a rap but that I have one background to work against, you have another. Then, my home reflects my personality which, unfortunate for me, is not at all like that of your sunny self.

You live south and I live north. Your house faces east, mine north—making the exposures entirely different. You have a real southern colonial cottage, I have one of those hybrid English homes. True enough, some things we have in common in our personalities and in our homes and those things may be reflected in the same furnishings.

You can't expect heavy Jacobean oak to look just the same in your gay, sunny dining room as it does in our more formal, oak-paneled one. Don't think I'm high-hatting. I'd love to have some of your room, and I'd like to keep some of mine.

Just remember that you have three things to keep in mind about everything you put in your home: Is it useful? Is it attractive? And is it suitable? Mahogany wouldn't be useful or suitable in my dining room, though it would in yours. I wouldn't fit into the picture. It wouldn't be serviceable to me for with two rowdy youngsters the oak will stand the knocks much better. It relieves me of much worry. You haven't kiddies to worry about—yet.

Then, just think how we differ in appearance. You wouldn't think of wearing the same clothes I do for you flatter your taffy-colored hair and deep blue eyes and apple-blossom complexion with the color which just suits you—blue. Use it in your home. Being dark, I choose the same colors in draperies and upholstering that I do in frocks—henna. If I were a redhead wouldn't I just choose green? You know I would.

Have I convinced you? Let me know just what you think of my ideas. Draw me a diagram of your rooms, too, so that I'll know just what we have to work with.

Fondly, Fern Eture.

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Mrs. Connor Is Honored

Honoring Mrs. Guy Connor, who will leave soon to make her home in Iowa City, Mrs. J. Drumm, 1017 Orchard avenue, entertained the Park Avenue Methodist Ladies Aid society Wednesday afternoon. The group carded buttons during the afternoon and later refreshments were served with a color scheme of yellow and white carried out effectively in the table appointments. Mrs. Connor was presented with a gift from the aid women.

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Annual Reunion

AT

WEED PARK

Muscatine, Iowa.

Sunday, Sept. 6th

DARÉ :·: :·: INTERPRETS the MODE

Definitely Spanish in silhouette and color is this black velvet evening gown with brilliant red and purple flowers. (A Dah-ray design.)



WHAT'S happening to evening wear these day? Oh, my deah, what isn't? Seems as though as soon as we get used to one set of ideas of evening loveliness, something else again comes along, and away go our first ideas completely to make way for the new!

The thing that makes one big difference in new evening clothes for autumn is the hem line! There's much greater width at the bottom of the hems than ever before. And this flaring width is made very noticeable indeed by various and sundry lovely methods—bands of ruffles, for instance, or ostrich feathers, pleated frills or bands of rhinestones or pearl embroidery. Of course, when the skirt width is attained by heavy means, like the pearl and rhinestone embroidery, the edge of the skirt is wired all around underneath, so that the weight of the trimmings won't cause the least sagging or folding-in to lose any of the grace of the flaring line.

This new wide, flaring hem is an interesting middle path between the straight, slender silhouette, sponsored by Jean Patou, that hangs straight and slim from the hips to the ankles, and the wide skirts of other courturiers, which allow the fullness to bell out from the molded hip to the floor level. The flare in the new hem line starts just below the knee and it's o-o-oh so smart and unusual in its sudden and brisk flare into width.

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THIS new hem flare business is decidedly reminiscent of the Spanish type of evening wear, than which there is nothing more stunning. And to show you the new skirt flare today, as well as a perfectly gorlicious evening gown I designed, I sketched one of these Spanishy affairs. This one's of black velvet, my deahs, with a square, decolletage, and a tight, tight bodice that fastens down the side from the armpit to just above the flower. The flaring hem is slightly longer in back than in front, and the skirt is lined from just below the knees to the hem in vivid red satin, which shows as Miladi walks or sways in a languorous dance. One huge flower is brilliant red, and the other purple, and the leaves are large and emerald green! And the fan is glowing red, and the cross ebony.

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THIS gown is not for everyone to wear, with its form-fittingness and its striking colors. But if you have the Spanish type of complexion and a perfect figure, what could be more stunningly unusual?

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NATURALLY, accessories for evening wear must be smart and unusual, too, as are the seed pearl, monogrammed evening bag and the black silk mesh gloves with suede hand-parts sketched for you today.

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The Beauty Sorcerness

"BUT, Grandmother, how do you ever NOT forget to take the ice into the nice warm bath with you?"

"By getting up out of my nice warm bath and running back through my not-so-nice cold house the first two or three times, my dear! It's easy to form the habit if you have disagreeable penalties for not doing so."

Au revoir

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OUR READERS' COOKING

Help the other readers of the Midwest Free Press to cook. Send in the recipes you like best, sign your name, and address, they will be gladly published.

MENU FOR FRIDAY, August 21, 1931

BREAKFAST: Grape juice, molded cereal with cream, fish cakes, egg sauce, raisin bran muffins, coffee.

LUNCHEON: Salmon salad, bread and butter sandwiches, fruit gelatin, whipped cream, ginger cookies, tea.

DINNER: Consomme, baked scrod, delmonico potatoes, stewed tomatoes, lettuce, French dressing, cornstarch pudding, fruit sauce, coffee.

FISH CAKES. EGG SAUCE

Boil 1-2 pound of salt codfish till tender, drain, take out bones and shred finely. Mix with 2 cups mashed potatoes, beaten egg, 1 tablespoon milk, salt and pepper to taste. Make into balls, dip in beaten egg and crumbs. Fry in deep fat. Serve with the following sauce:

Egg sauce—One cup white sauce, 2 chopped hard-boiled eggs, 1 tablespoon parsley, 1 teaspoon lemon juice or vinegar. Add eggs, parsley and lemon juice to white sauce after removing from fire.

FRUIT GELATIN

One envelope gelatine, 1 cup boiling water, 1 cup fruit juice, 1-3 cup sugar, pinch of salt, 1 cup finely cut fruit (use figs, dates, and raisins.) Mix sugar, salt and gelatin. Pour boiling water over, and stir well. Add fruit juice (orange juice is fine for this) and let cool. When it begins to thicken stir in the fruit.

CONSOMME

One and one-half pounds bottom of the round or nice lean beef of any kind. 1 1-2 pounds of veal knuckles. Cover with cold water and when it comes to a boil skim off well. Add a large slice of onion, celery leaves, fresh or dried, or a stalk or two. Cook slowly until the meat is done, season and strain through a thin cloth. When cold, remove fat from the top. The stock will be jellied and may be eaten hot or cold.

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CRYSTAL

Theatre—Today

All-Talking

'DOCTOR'S WIVES'

Starring Warner Baxter and Joan Bennett.

Are pretty patients the common enemies of Doctor's wives?

Comedy and Cartoon

LOVE'S PRISONER

By Barbara Webb

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CHAPTER XXXV

Victory!

BETH got to her feet and gripped the table with both hands. Her face was white; she feared not only for herself but for Arnold, who had helped her put over this strategy for the success of Phil's plan.

"If you will listen—" she began, "I will tell you all about it."

"The truth this time, the entire truth," Nelson said quietly, scornfully it seemed to Beth.

The men gathered around the table leaned forward with interest. Drama seldom intruded itself into such dry affairs as board meetings. All of them seemed enemies to poor Beth, who saw her house of cards tumbled down by this real, this authentic message from Phil. Only one ray of hope lit the situation for her. If Phil was well enough to send a wire himself he was well enough to be told of what she had tried to do. She must bend every effort now to get them to wait until she had talked to him before they revoked their action in authorizing Phil's campaign. Only the oldest member, with benevolent white hair and rosy face, seemed friendly. He actually smiled at Beth, and she welcomed that sign of friendliness as a thirsty man might welcome water.

Beth's Defense

"I—I would like to begin at the very beginning, if I may," she said quietly. "I promise to tell you all the truth. Several months ago—last October, in fact, Mr. Dane advertised for a secretary. I obtained the place and learned later that he was paying my salary out of his own pocket. He had approached you gentlemen before with this idea and you had discouraged him. But he had faith in it and he did not think it fair to ask the firm to pay the salary of an assistant to work out a plan you had voted down.

Nods of approval and understanding around the table.

"I went to work with Mr. Dane and for nearly eight months now we have investigated every possible angle of this new business. My report must have shown you that. Mr. Dane continued to pay my salary, and I think I am not exaggerating when I say that this plan became almost a child to him, he was so interested in it, so enthusiastic about it."

She paused and drew a long breath. "I don't know just how proper it is to bring personal matters in here, but I feel I must mention them if you really are to understand the situation and why I have done what I did this morning. Mr. Dane became engaged to Miss Caroline Gibbons in February, as some of you may know. He felt that he could not take time from this work for his wedding and a honeymoon abroad until after the plan had been offered to you. And with that additional incentive he worked literally day and night to complete it. He neglected his fiancee and lost weight from overwork and centered all his hopes on carrying this thing through with you today."

The oldest member smiled at her again.

"Of course it didn't mean as much to me as it did to him, but no one could work with him and not be infected by his enthusiasm. I looked forward to your action in approving the matter nearly as much as he did. It had become a part of my hopes, too, you see. I knew that if it failed he would be terribly discouraged, and I did everything I could to keep it from falling. Last night—" her voice faltered but she picked up her words and went on bravely, "last night we finished the very last details and he left to accompany Miss Gibbons to a dance."

The room was very still.

"It Couldn't Be in Vain"

"I don't know just what happened—there was an automobile accident and Phil—Mr. Dane, was seriously hurt. I came in early this morning and had begun to worry when Miss Gibbons telephoned to tell me that Mr. Dane was in the hospital and although conscious could not come to the meeting. He had mentioned something about the plan and she was not sure just what ought to be done about it."

Beth's voice grew more earnest. "I thought of all the hours he had spent, and it seemed to me that it just couldn't have been in vain, that surely some way must be found to bring this before you. So, entirely, on my own responsibility I sent that first wire to Mr. Nelson. I took a chance on his noticing that it had been sent a bare half hour before the meeting from some office near here. But he accepted it and I told you about the plan and read you the report. I realize now that I did an awfully — awfully cheeky thing—a very serious thing. I am not at all sure that Mr. Dane would have wanted me to do it. But I couldn't help it—it seemed to me it would help him to get well faster if he knew you had approved it. And I believe it will be a success. I—I guess maybe my faith in it doesn't count for much — with business men like you—but I did what I did because it seemed right—and I'm not sorry. Only you musn't blame any one but me for fooling you this way—"

She stopped abruptly and sat down.

"Bravo," said the oldest member softly, "I'd like to have you for my advocate if I ever get into trouble, Miss Shannon."

Beth hardly heard him. She was realizing now the enormity of what she had done. She would lose her job, of course, she would probably never see Phil again.

The oldest member was on his feet. "Gentlemen," he said slowly, "we have just witnessed a remarkable example of a girl's loyalty and bravery. That she has taken advantage of us, pulled the wool over our eyes completely does not alter the fact that she has done a fine, brave thing. Nor—and this is the important part of it—does it alter the fact that she has presented to us a very sound plan for the expansion of our business. I regret Mr. Dane's injury extremely. I hope that he may recover soon and enjoy the fruits of his months of work. But all that is beside the point. The actual thing for us to realize is that we have before us an opportunity for getting in on the ground floor of a great new industry. The details of our going forward with the plan of Mr. Dane's report can be worked out later. I for one see no reason at all to rescind our approval of the plan, voted a short time ago."

There were nods of approval from all save the one dissenting member.

"Highly irregular, highly irregular," he kept muttering to himself in a shocked tone, and he peered at Beth as though she were some strange kind of bird that had wandered into the room from the zoo.

To Be Continued Tomorrow

Salt, moistened with vinegar, will remove burnt marks from enamel saucepans and dishes, but they should be soaked in cold soda water for a few hours first.

PALACE

TONITE 7:15-9:00—10c-40c

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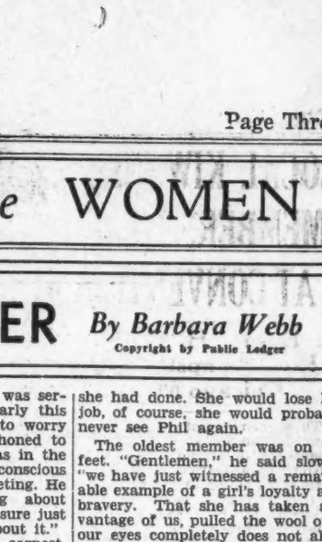
What this country needs is a DARN GOOD LAUGH and this show will give it to you!

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The Counselor Dies

"The Counselor" is dead. Mrs. Belle Case La Follette, the wife of one United States senator, the mother of another United States senator and the mother of a governor, died at Washington, Tuesday, at the age of 72 years.

If Mrs. LaFollette had no other claim to fame, the reflected glory of her menfolk's achievements would be sufficient but, as is so often the case with real mothers, her inspiration was unquestionably responsible for the success of her men.

"Fightin' Bob" La Follette, her late husband, unlike many men who have achieved greatness, cheerfully gave to his wife the credit that was her due. He called her "The Counselor" and freely credited her with being the inspiration for the great principles of progressivism promulgated by him.

The faith and foresight of "The Counselor" enabled "Fightin' Bob" to carry on when one who proposed progressive reforms and principles was looked upon as a radical and a dangerous leader.

In these days of women in politics, it is refreshing to remember that "The Counselor" elected to remain in the background as the guiding spirit, rather than to capitalize on her husband's success when he died. There is little question but what Mrs. LaFollette could have succeeded her husband in the United States senate had she so desired. She was urged to become a candidate when he died in 1925—but she preferred to remain "The Counselor," this time to "Young Bob" who stepped into the place of his father in the council chamber of the nation.

To "The Counselor" also goes the credit of successfully directing the long campaign of her son Philip for the governorship of Wisconsin. Gov. W. J. Kohler was a foeman worthy of anyone's steel, but "The Counselor," by her sage advice and instinctive understanding of politics, overthrew him and seated her son in the capitol at Madison.

The clan of La Follette will miss "The Counselor." To lose, at one stroke, the mother and the political mentor, will be a terrific blow, and the impression persists that the younger La Follettes more greatly need "The Counselor" than did "Fightin' Bob."

Curbing Production

What the oil industry has been unable to accomplish for itself, two fearless governors, Murray of Oklahoma and Sterling of Texas, seem to have achieved. Crude prices have jumped from 25 cents to 77 cents.

The question of how to curb over-production in this country has kept economists, politicians and many others wide awake at night when they should have been enjoying their beauty sleep. The two southwestern governors have discovered one method. Whether it will prove permanently beneficial, of course, is another question.

Almost every major industry in the country is facing the same situation, but without the possibilities of centralized control which exist in oil. Overproduction of crude oil is probably due to the necessity of offsetting producing wells.

If John Smith owns land adjoining that on which a producing well is brought in, he must offset the producer with a well on his own ground, whether oil is worth a quarter or a dollar a barrel. Naturally, this has made for much useless drilling, from the standpoint of the necessities of the industry.

Individual owners would never have consented to shut down their wells voluntarily, any more than individual farmers will ever shoot square on reducing acreage of corn or wheat. The natural instinct is to advocate reduction of production—but expect the other fellow to bring it about.

Whether there is a lesson for the rest of the country in the actions of Governors Murray and Sterling, remains to be seen. It is not entirely without the realms of possibility that strong arm action could be taken in agriculture.

This paper most emphatically does not believe in further assumption by government of paternalistic control of industry. We believe that many of the evils today have resulted from too much government, too many commissions, entirely too much extension of bureaucracy in a country which grew and waxed fat on competition.

On the other hand, it may be necessary for government to take a hand in curbing useless production. The individual industries seem incapable of self-government, as witness the economic depression of the past two years.

The results of the strong-arm methods employed by Murray and Sterling are going to be carefully watched by many other industries which cannot control their own outputs.

The Tariff

How much of the blame for the slump in business may be attributed to the tariff is a debatable question, and one which will probably come in for considerable airing when congress meets in December. This country seems pretty definitely committed to the principle of a high protective tariff but there is considerable room for doubt as to the wisdom of a tariff as high as the Smoot-Hawley schedule.

Probably no substantial portion of the population could be interested these days in a free trade policy. On the other hand it is extremely doubtful whether the United States can survive in business by erecting a tariff wall of such height as to provoke constant retaliation from other countries.

There must be a happy medium somewhere between the two extremes which will enable American labor to enjoy the high standard of living it deserves and still not completely crush out foreign trade. Neither this country nor any other country is going to sit quietly and not retaliate when other nations demand trading conditions impossible to meet.

There seems to be a pretty definite feeling throughout the country that congress went just a little too far in "protecting" some industries and the record of wages paid by these industries during the depression will likely be given consideration when next the question of tariff arises.

Johnson City, Tenn., business men have formed a club which fines members one dollar every time they mention the "depression." Wonder where the members get the dollars to pay the fine in these days of Optimist Clubs?

A Chicago woman suing for divorce says her husband "got sore" at her because she wouldn't ride on a roller coaster. Everybody that believes that story can stand on their heads.

If grasshoppers will eat the tongue off a wagon; they should be encouraged to visit Washington when congress meets this fall.

Our Platform for the People Is:

1. Less taxation.
2. Fewer State Commissions.
3. Universal school books.
4. Lower freight rates.
5. Return of river transportation.
6. A cleanup of some state institutions.
7. More efficiency in public offices.

Medical Fallacies

PREVENTIVE MEDICINE A SERIOUS HEALTH MENACE

In "How to Live" (Vol. 6, No. 4) Dr. George R. Clements says "The orthodox practive of medicine is a GREAT MENACE TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH. This statement is a fact, supported by statistics and by statements of the greatest medical doctors in all generations and ages. Orthodox medical methods are spreading disease, crippling humanity, and shortening the lifespan. The injection of serums into the blood-stream is a serious menace to health."

With the development of so-called preventive medicine there is an ever increasing tendency on the part of organized medicine to force serums and vaccines on the public, the principal methods of treatment, under the fallacious theory that vaccines and serums will cause immunity to certain diseases. Legislation is being enacted sponsored by medical societies toward this end, and all health education programs advocate such methods regardless of the harmful effects resulting from them which are well known.

Besides the dangers from any form of serum or vaccine such attempt at making a person immunine to any disease has been proved to be based on a theory that is false, and authorities are now discarding serum therapy who have previously used such methods widely in their practive. Dr. Ernest E. Irons is one such authority, and in the Journal of the AMA, Vol. 96, No. 16, says: "While some clinicians use vaccines extensively many others are firmly convinced that the dangers outweigh the possible benefits to be obtained."

Another authority who reported the results of toxin-antitoxin injections and showed it to be a failure is Dr. Thelander who reported in California and Western Medicine (Vol. XXXIII, No. 5), "To further substantiate the evidence that our toxin-antitoxin immunization is not so effective as it should be, and is generally assumed to be, is the fact that at the Children Hospital the past year there have been forty-four cases of diphtheria with five deaths and of this group, eight cases with one death had toxin-antitoxin six months to two years previously, in one case two series. The occurrence of these cases the past year was surprising and disconcerting and show that toxin-antitoxin is not so effective as it is assumed to be."

Dr. Bret Ratner, an M. D. of New York also reports serious consequences following serum inoculation and so reports such instances in the Journal of the AMA, Vol. 94, No. 20, p. 2046. In his article Dr. Ratner says: "I am primarily interested here in presenting experimental and clinical observations which I deem convincing enough to offer as a possible explanation for the particular natural horse serum hypersensitiveness encountered when a child or an adult, receiving an injection of horse serum for the first time, dies in acute anaphylatic shock or manifacts grave accelerated allergic reactions Still another serious result of serum treatment reported by Dr. Irons who has had wide experience with this form of "preventive medicine," is asthma following injections or inoculations with serums or vaccines. He says: "Out of 140 instances of harmful results, including a number of cases in which death was considered to have been caused by the use of vaccines subcutaneously injected, seventeen cases of asthma were reported to have followed courses of bacterial vaccines, administered to patients who previously were not known to have suffered from asthma."

In spite of these known harmful organized medicine would force serums and vaccines upon school children as the price of obtaining and education, and upon adults also and are promoting these nostrums by every possible means at their disposal. Such methods are advocated in all health talks and health education programs. Organized medicine is seeking also to control all public health programs and retain leadership so as to be in a position to advance allopathic medicine regardless of the preference of the individual. An abstract of the address of the President of the AMA Dr. E. Starr Judd, clearly indicates the intentions of the medical profession. In his address, which was made the basis of an editorial in the Journal of the Arkansas Medical Society for June, 1931, he is quoted as saying:

"Public health and other medical lectures sponsored by county medical societies should be one of the important obligations of the county society. These lectures may be abstracted and published in the daily press. The society can help a great deal by utilizing every effort at its command to educate people along medical lines. The importance of education for the public is not new but the importance of it is more fully realized now than it was in former years. Every physician can do his part in this work. Properly regulated and controlled by medical societies and their officers, this plan of giving out medical facts is certain to lead to results of great value. Those who control the radio corporations are overwhelmed with applications for time on their programs to broadcast quack remedies and cures, and they are anxious to know what should be accepted and what should not. It is one of the obligations of the medical profession to give them this information. The consensus among members of the medical profession generally is that some sort of publicity should be supplied by which the public will be made to understand the nature, the purposes and the results of the effort made by scientific medicine for prevention and control of disease. The profession of medicine is under obligation to protect the public from unsound programs as much as to see that it is informed on the proper principles . . . This scheme brings the medical profession as a whole into the leadership of all activities pertaining to medicine within the State. The profession is obligated to direct all medical activities."

These frank statements of the President of the AMA leaves little doubt as to how completely organized medicine seeks to control all matters relating to public health. The public under this proposed program will have only such health education as it pleases the medical trust to give them, and only that approved by organized medicine which means allopathic medicine will be promoted to the exclusion of any other school or system of healing. In spite of the fallacies of preventive medicine this is the system which it is proposed to force on the public through its agents in public offices of the State and in Cities, and by the assistance of county medical societies in local health administration.

In speaking of the attitude of governing bodies in supporting public health measures, an Editorial in the Wisconsin Medical Journal states:

"Our legislators have written into the statutes the necessary authority for using public funds for public health needs. When health, the primary concern of man, is involved there is less and less objection to these subsidies for such purposes. More basic even than education and public improvements is the public health . . . nothing deserves freer public support."

In view of such statements can there be any doubt as to the commercialism behind preventive medicine? Naturally the serum and vaccine manufacturers who have millions invested will do all possible to support the medical profession. They have an important part in organized medicine. Their costly advertisements demonstrate their interest and deep concern.

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Just Kiddies

By T. W. Burgess

BUSTER BEAR AND FARMER BROWN'S BOY

When Buster Bear got over his first fright after he dropped from the big hemlock tree where Farmer Brown's Boy had surprised him feasting on the honey of Busy Bee he stopped running. By this time he was some distance from the tree, for big as he is and clumsy as he appears to be Buster can run very fast and can cover a lot of distance in a very short time. He turned and listened for sounds of some one following him, but heard none. Of course not for the very good reason that no one was following him. You know Farmer Brown's Boy had run in just the opposite direction. But Buster Bear had been too badly frightened when he dropped from the hemlock tree to know in which direction Farmer Brown's Boy had gone. So now he sat very still and strained his ears for some sound that would tell him that he was being followed.

The Green Forest was very still. Only once did he hear anything to tell him that there was another living thing there. A Merry Little Breeze wandering through the treetops brought him the sound of Sammy Jay's voice. It was very faint, but it was enough to make Buster growl a deep rumbly-grumbly growl. Sammy Jay was laughing and Buster knew perfectly well why. Sammy was laughing at him, at the way he had dropped out of that tress and run at the sound of Farmer Brown's Boy's yell. It hurt Buster's pride, for Buster is no more fond of being laughed at than any one else.

The Merry Little Breeze passed on and Buster heard nothing more, though he listened and listened with all his might. He tried to use his nose to find out if there was any man smell in the air. You know Buster has a very wonderful nose, and he depends on it a great deal. But all he could smell was honey. You see it was still smeared all over his face and nose. After a while he felt sure that no one was following him, and then he began to think of other things. Yes, sir, he began to think of other things.

In the first place he ached from the bumps he had received when he dropped out of that tree. He had been too frightened to feel them at the time, but he felt them now. But worse than that there were the stings from the bees. He hadn't minded these while he was filling his stomach with that delicious honey, but he did now. It seemed to him that those bees had found every tender place on his whole body. He ached and he smarted all over, but the smarts were worse than the aches, a great deal worse. It seemed to him that he felt one in a new place every other second.

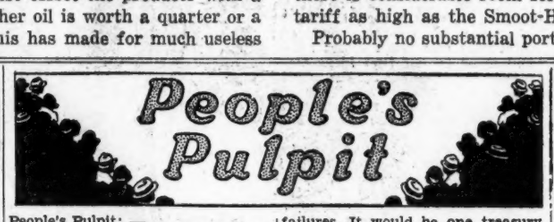
"Oh, dear! Oh, dear me! I almost wish I had never found that honey," groaned Buster. 'It wouldn't be so bad if I had gotten all of it (Buster is very greedy), but to be cheated out of half of it, and then have to ache and smart the way I do is dreadful. I can't stand this much longer. I've got to do something. I've got to find some mud, and I've got to find it soon. I'll go crazy if I don't. There's nothing like good cool mud to take the smart out of bee stings. And I guess I need a bath. I'm a mess. There isn't water enough in the Laughing Brook for a bath. There's just one place for me and that is the pond of Paddy the Beaver. Oh, dear; Oh, dear! I wish I was there this minute." So Buster set out for the pond of Paddy the Beaver.

Now Farmer Brown's Boy's one thought when he yelled and ran was to get away from those bees as soon as possible. At the moment he quite forgot Buster Bear. He heard the crash of breaking branches as Buster dropped out of the tree, and then he heard Buster crashing his way through the Green Forest as he ran away, but he was too busy fighting angry bees to realize what it all meant then. Later he did and chuckled as he thought of what a fright Buster must have had. The bees did not follow him far, and pretty soon, quite out of breath, Farmer Brown's Boy stopped to rest. But it wasn't for long. The stings from the bees smarted too much. My, how they did smart;

"Mud," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "I've simply got to get some mud. My face will be swelled up like a balloon if I don't. Let me see, this isn't far from the pond of Paddy the Beaver. There will be plenty of mud there. I was going there anyway." So Farmer Brown's Boy set out for the pond of Paddy the Beaver.

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Next story: Paddy the Beaver Sees Strange Things.



People's Pulpit: —

Dear Sir:—We are all seeking a way out of our present economic conditions and a way to better times. What we need is more confidence, but how are we going to have confidence with our money system when banks are full of money and others going broke for want of money.

It is my opinion if people regain confidence in our money system, everything will come out fine. Now here is my idea. When the people were clamoring and asking of Christ "Shall we pay tribute unto Ceasar?" He said, "Has any one here a penney?" Whose picture is that on the penny? They said, "Ceasar's." He said, "Pay tribute unto Ceasar that which is Ceasar's and unto God that which is God's."

Whose picture and stamp is our money inscribed with? It has the guaranty of the U. S.terasury. Then why does not the government guaranty of the U. S. treasury. Without casting any reflections on banks or bankers, I would suggest the government take over all banks and there would then be no more failures. It would be one treasury. You say that would be socialism or the government going into business. Well how about the postal savings, or mail for instance? of coure, the government is in business now as far as being equal.

Appraise every bit of property by competent appraisers and allow a certain loan value on the valuation of the property. Rich and poor alike can borrow up to that and no more. A man will always know his limitation, his money will be safe and you watch the relief of the people, when the time comes they figure they are all equal.

This would seem like a new world. Just start a program like this and watch the wolves of Wall street howl. One coyotte can make more noise than 20 dogs, one dog more noise than a lot of men, but we don't mind the noise if it gets us somewhere.

Frank Clark,
L'Claire, Ia.

P. S.—Watch the money come out of the tin cans or fruit jars buried in the cellars and get into circulation again.



"GOOD NATURE"

When considering life itself, what could be more profitable to the individual, to the city, state, nation, and to the world at large, than for everyone to get the habit of cultivating health. To live reasonably and to be moderate in all things would remove obstacles that not only hinder individual advancement, but which also have a bearing upon wordly affairs as well.

When people are healthy they are more apt to be normally happy and in possession of an amiable attitude toward others. Whether as an individual or as a nation, there would be more tolerance shown, and more willingness to settle disputes, large or small, if people were so healthy that they just "naturally" felt good natured. Who the dickens can hurt anyone very much when he is happy and good natured? Who wants to fight when they feel so good that the world appears to a bright wonderful place to live in?

Fear is forever creeping into each one of us, more or less. Fear of life, fear of death, fear of losing ones position, fear of accidents, fear of losing something we value very highly; and also, among these fears which come to mind is sickness. Afraid of this disease and that disease; afraid of every little cut and scratch for fear it may develope into blood poisoning, the same as Mrs. So-and so's did. Cultivate good health to the extent that the body will rapidly heal the cut or scratch and nothing will come of it. When the blood is clean it will clean and thus seal the injury as Nature intended it should. As was stated yesterday, "give Nature clean material to work with and she will do a good job." You won't need serums, nor inoculations to fight germs because there won't be any filth in the body for germs to live on. To keep well and to cultivate health and good nature we must stay close to Nature, commune with Nature, and learn her ways. We are a part of her and she furnishes the necessary foods and medicinal plants with which man can heal himself. Everything is placed here for a purpose and it is man's life-work to try and find out find out what this and that is good for, what it will do and what it won't do.

We are fast learning what the different articles of food are for and what they will do. Certain foods build muscles; others build up nervous enmergy. Oothers have a laxative effect, which is very vital if we want to retain our health.

One of the most important occuptions of the world today is that of opening the way for better health by using the various avenues which we have at the present time. Great strides are being made in handling serious conditions without X-ray, radium, or major operations; and often without any operating at all.

It is much better that each one of us be in a position to care for ourselves except, perhaps, in cases of accidents and broken bones. If we lived properly as to rest, food, exercise, fresh air, and reasonable hygienic precautions, the body would go a long way toward healing itself. Thus, we would avoid dangerous measures which are often promoted with one eye on the dollar, one eye on the disease, and the patient, well; the patient dosen't count for so much.

Everyone of us knows how hope and good cheer bouys us up and put us over the top when we most need it. The more healthy we are the more hope and courage we have to grasp and take advantage of opportunity when it presents itself.

Good nature comes from good health first. Sometimes people cultivate it and maintain it either in sickness or health. This is not so common however as sick people are not normal as their nervous system is poisoned and upset which causes the sick person to lose there equilibrium and become irritable.

Good nature comes from good health; so good health, besides bringing individual happiness, means health, happiness, and prosperity in a universal way.

Daily Puzzle

WHAT WORD IS THIS?



Yesterday's Answer: The man on the left in the background should have the ventilation holes on the sides of his hat, not on the front.

Give It a Thought

By Joseph A. Sadony

By JOSEPH SADONY

Do not neglect your hunches.
Columbus didn't, so we are here.
Washington didn't, so we are, or were, free.
Christ did not, so we are, or should be, happy.
Philosophers do not, so we do, or may, understand.
Abraham Lincoln might have, which cut his life short.
Edison didn't, so we have night as day.
Marconi didn't, so the human family may be united even though in isolation.
Are you neglecting the hunch that contains the solution to all your problems?
Give it a thought, and the world may be better for your having done so.

—oOo—

How many fine minds are there hidden in obscurity
At the front line of Commercialism,
Shackled to an organization because of wages
And an inferiority complex;
While if but allowed to dream, away from the grinding note of gears,
A new musician, poet or scientist might be born.
Give men a chance to spread their shallow or clay rotts.
The top can always be pruned from faults,
But let their roots alone, to allow character to prove their value
Before we forget why we live, and how.

—oOo—

When you hire men to guard and punish men
You are playing with dynamite
And think it candles without wicks.
It is true that steel will cut steel
Only after a special, good tempering
Making it better and stronger than its own flesh.
A diamond will cut diamond,
Nevertheless, both are diamonds.
It is only in the manner applied
That process is accomplished.
Likewise with men who may be imprisoned in solitary confinement
They still retain a spark of manhood, misunderstood by persecution,
Unless they be entirely mentally diseased,
Or having lost the temper of their steel,
And still, even so, they are better than iron,
And can be re-tempered.

THE ONCE OVER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

THE LEADER EXPLAINS

(John F. Curry, boss of Tammany Hall, grilled by a New York legislative committee on his telephone call to a Supreme Court judge to get a stay for a man involved in a legislative graft inquiry, declared he saw nothing wrong in the action and that he was actuated only by deep regard for all Democrats. "I have," he added, "only the kindliest feeling for all men and women. Whenever I can help the Democratic party I will step on the gas."

I.

I'm the leader of Tammany Hall, sir,
But you've got me all wrong, I am sure,
For you don't seem to know, not at all, sir,
It's a home of the saintly and pure;
Politics you ascribe to me solely—
(Is that fair to a Tammany boy?)
Let me tell you my purpose is wholly
Distribution of sunshine and joy.

II.

An apostle of cheer am I merely,
As benevolent, sir, as they come;
I'm a Santa Claus, loving all dearly
And I don't wait for Christmas to come;
Oh, it matters not what a man's name is,
I am here to protect and defend;
I don't bother to find where the blame is—
For I'm just his Big Brother and Friend.

III.

Little favors I do when requested,
For it makes my fine spirit soar high;
And I'm glad to see legal points tested
Without asking the wherefor or why;
I've a love that's without limitations
For all Democrats, evil and good,
And I'd free them of all aggravations
With the help of such courts as I could.

IV.

I've a feeling of deepest affection
That extends to mankind as a whole;
It grows somewhat intense at election
But it's always quite deep in my soul;
Doing good is a part of my manner,
I would brighten the pathway of all;
I'm a Fourteenth Street Sweet "Pollyanner"
And the Sunshine of Tammany Hall.

V.

Names and persons to me do not matter,
I've no special regard for Doc Doyle!
Favors just as important I scatter
To a Smith or a Jones or a Boyle;
For my only concern in such cases
Is to do just another good deed;
It's a pleasure to telephone places
And obtain what good friends of mine need.

VI.

Facts and data are not necessary
To enlist my good will and support;
You will find that I'm eager, yes very,
To "Locate," as they say, any court;
Great protector am I of the party
And all Democrats, female and male;
They will find me a man with a hearty
Resolution to keep them from jail.

L'ENVOI

Just a big-hearted leader, that's me, sir,
With a wholesome regard for the mass;
If you want any help secretly, sir,
Telephone and I'll "step on the gas."

AS THE WHEAT FARMER SEES IT

The attitude of the western farmer is that it isn't the wheat, it's the stupidity.

Most descriptive caption of the week: "From an Elizabethian Window He Spies a Wigwam," under a picture of Judge Seabury in "Time."

The bankruptcy and stranding of one of the country's big wild west shows in Washington may possibly be explained by the competition from eastern gun molls.

The Bank for International Settlements has named an official "lookout" whose job it is to keep on the watch for any and all financial troubles in any and all nations. His name is Per Jacobsson and he is a Swedish budgeteer of great fame. Well, best wishes, Mr. Jacobsson, and don't say we didn't warn you.

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Learn to Know the Right Word

By W. C. Nicholson

"BOTH ARE RIGHT"

Recently, Mr. Caum of Honolulu, T. H., in discussing whether "each" and "every" are synonymous, tried to show a fine distinction between the words. Ellison C. Jenkins of the University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C., now joins in the discussion:

" 'The Right Word' is right. So is Mr. Caum, but Mr. Caum is wrong in supposing that synonymous always means interchangeable. A synonym is a word having either the same meaning as another word or a meaning of kindred sense. Mohammedan is synonymous with Mosiem, and the words may be used interchangeably. Likewise, covenant is synonymous with agreement, but these words may not be used interchangeably.

"Each is used to designate the units of a group as individual entities. Every is used to designate them both as individual entities and as related parts of the group. This Mr. Caum shows in his illustration."

P. A. Miller of Missoula, Mont., writes, "You will find enclosed a clipping, in which, as I understand it, the past participle should have been used. In another article, you will find the word raise underlined. Should this not have been rise?"

The clippings: " . . . where whisky and beer was drank 25 years ago." "The 'Lake of the Ozarks' will not be filled by the raise."

Of course, Mr. Miller, "drunk" is correct. Furthermore, "was" should be changed to "were" to agree with its plural subject 'whisky and beer." "Rise" is also correct.

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Silly---BUT SO . . .

By HEARD



GROVE TIES LEAGUE RECORD FOR CONSECUTIVE WINS

ATHLETIC ACE HAS CHANCE TO SET NEW MARK

Possible for Him to Be First Southpaw to Win 30 Games

By COPELAND C. BURG
INS Sports Writer

NEW YORK—A whole flock of adjectives was unloosed in every city, village and farm to tell about Lefty Grove's winning of 16 games in a row but it seemed today a few of the specially fancy ones should be saved till later in the season. For it looked rather possible Mr. Mack's left - hander would beat Rube Marguard's record of 19 straight games, beat Jim Bagby's 1920 record of 31 games and be the first southpaw to win 30 games.

Grove, in holding the White Sox to seven hits to give the Athletics a 4 to 2 success, brought his seasonal victories to 25. His newest decision gave him a tie with the 1921 mark of Joe Wood and Walter Johnson, which is the American league record.

He had his meteor ball working like a trained seal, striking out five and walking none. Grove would have scored a shutout except for weakening in the ninth. Reynolds, Sox outfielder, got three of the Chicago safeties and old man Faber was the pitching victim.

Giants Second Aagain

The great New York Giants were one run behind, had three men on and then low and behold! Tony Cuicinello decided it was time to make a bad peg. He did and the ninth inning error gave New York a 6 to 5 advantage over the Cincy Reds. The Giants regained second place through the Faux pas.

Cy Moore has been a Brooklyn pitcher three years and during that time hurled two games. So when he pitched his third game yesterday he didn't do so badly, allowing only five hits, although in the end Chicago's Cubs prevailed, 4 to 1, two of the hits were homers and coupled with an error brought disaster. In the tea time game some fancy hitting by Gordon Slade assisted Dazzy Vance to a 5 to 3 sinking of the Chicagoans.

Benge Tames Cards

Ray Benge tamed the St. Louis Cardinals with eight hits, the Phillies winning the opener 3 to 2, but the Champions took the finale 8 to 4 behind six hit pitching by Hallahan.

The weary Washington Senators fell flat twice before the Cleveland Indians, 9 to 5 and 10 to 8. Early Averill got his homers No. 25 and 26. Connolly and Hudlin were the winning men on the mound.

Stewart kept the Yankees' hits apart and two doubles and a homer by Ralph Kress scored a 7 to 3 win for the St. Louis Browns over New York.

Detroit bagged 15 hits against 12 for Boston but the Red Sox snatched it, 9 to 8. Weak hurling by Sullivan in the first inning and five Detroit errors tripped the Tigers. Scores by innings:

American League

At Chicago:			R	H	E
Philadelphia	021	000 010	4	12	1
Chicago	000	000 002	2	7	3

Batteries: Grove and Cochrane; Faber, Moore and Grube.

At Cleveland:			R	H	E
Washington	002	100 101	5	7	0
Cleveland	003	010 33x	10	12	2

Batteries: Jones, Crowder and Spencer, Bolton; Ferrell, Connolly and Myatt.

Second Games:			R	H	E
Washington	000	111 500	8	12	1
Cleveland	000	324 10x	10	13	2

Batteries: Burke, Hadley, Fischer, Brown and Spencer, Bolton; Hudlin, C. Brown, Jablonowski and Swell.

At Detroit:			R	H	E
Boston	401	020 200	9	12	2
Detroit	100	121 003	8	15	5

Batteries: MacFayden, Moore and Berry; Sullivan, Hogsett, Bridges and Hayworth.

At St. Louis:			R	H	E
New York	000	000 003	3	11	0
St. Louis	010	020 40x	7	10	0

Batteries: Pipgras, Rhodes, Andrews and Dickey; Stewart and Ferrell.

National League

At Philadelphia:			R	H	E
St. Louis	200	000 000	2	8	0
Philadelpha	100	002 00x	3	12	1

Batteries: Haines, Lindsey and Wilson; Benge and Davis.

Second Game:			R	H	E
St. Louis	502	010 000	8	13	1
Philadelphia	100	001 110	4	6	3

Batteries: Hallahan and Mancuso, Wilson; Watt, Benge and Davis.

At Brooklyn:			R	H	E
Chicago	012	000 001	4	5	0
Brooklyn	000	000 010	1	7	2

Batteries: May and Hartnett; Moore and Lombardi.

Second Game:			R	H	E
Chicago	100	001 001	3	10	2
Brooklyn	000	004 01x	5	7	0

Batteries: Bush and Hemsley; Vance and Lopez.

At New York:			R	H	E
Cincinnati	040	001 000	5	8	3
New York	000	101 112	6	10	1

Batteries: Lucas and Sukeforth; Berry, Parmalee, Mooney and Hogan.

Rain Halts Clubs Kittenball Games At Annual Picnic

Kittenball games for the inter-service championship were called off on account of rain Wednesday when members of the Muscatine Lions, Rotary, Kiwanis and the West Liberty Rotary clubs held their first annual picnic at Rotary lodge on the West Liberty road. The only game played was between the Muscatine Lions and Kiwanis club, which resulted in the Lions team winning a 5 to 1 victory.

About 100 members of the four clubs attended the event. A chicken dinner was served and other informal sports events held.

Plans are under way now for the making of the inter-service club picnic an annual affair.

Athletics 'Shown Up' Plead Guilty To Beating of Sox

CHICAGO — (INS) — Mickey Cochrane, George Earnshaw, and Roger Cramer, of the Philadelphia Athletics and Manager Connie Mack's son, Earl McGillicuddy, today told their teammates about being "shown up."

They were spectators last night at the regular semi-weekly identification of prisoners at the detective bureau and after they had warned the bench for an hour, the lights were turned on them.

They pleaded guilty to a charge of beating the defenseless White Sox.

CLOUDS GATHER SO NET QUEEN STEPS ON GAS

Mary Greef Grieving After Helen Wills Moody Speeds Up

By MICHAEL J. FOSTER
INS Sports Writer

NEW YORK—Worshippers at the Shrine of the Great Moody who have been reading with consternation of the recent stands against the idol of such upstarts as Mrs. Marion Zindsterin Jessup, Mary Greef and the like, can stop their worrying right now.

England's Wightman Cup "Orphan" made fairly good progress against the world champion in the first set, capturing three games so that the match really resembled a contest.

But then storm clouds began to gather over the West Side Tennis club stadium, and it looked as if Mrs. Moody wouldn't get her victory across in time, and she would have to continue the contest today.

Queen Helen took one glance at the sky, pulled down her viser, and boy, did she step on the gas!

Queen Helen will be idle today, while the officials of the national championship attempt to catch up with their schedule in the quarter-final round.

The rain yesterday washed out Betty Nuthall's third-round match with Josephine Cruickshank and Sarah Palfrey's tilt with Phyllis Mudford, as well as forcing a postponement of the Mrs. Shepperd-Barron vs. Mrs. Jessup match, after each had won a set.

These three contests will be only singles matches on today's program, which will consist mainly of second and third round doubles. The quarter-finals will not be played until tomorrow, and the finals have been postponed until Sunday.

Mrs. Sheppard-Baron is conceded a good chance of winning her match with Mrs. Jessup.

That was a grand battle Mrs. Elsie Goldsack Pittman, Miss Ridley's fellow British Wightman Cup "Orphan," waged against Mrs. Harper in their third round match.

SPORT SLANTS
By Bill Corum

NEW YORK—(INS)—

Billy Petrolle—I'll knock the L out of McLarnin.

Jimmy McLarnin—I'll knock both L's out of Petrolle.

Rogers Hornsby—We'll win second money in this National League pennant race and whip the White Sox in the Chicago City series, and next year we are going to have one of the best ball clubs you ever called an eye on because we are going to buy two of the best outfielders in the big leagues this winter.

John McGraw—We'll see about that second money in the National League first, and it's the Giants who are going to be the best club you've seen in a long time next year because we are out to spend a quarter of a million dollars to make it so.

Twenty Grand—If I don't win that Travers stake on Saturday you can send my oats to the starving Armenians.

Mate—Well, the only reason you will win it will be because I'll be in the barn Saturday reading the life of Riley.

Speaking of the Travers—Feature race of Saturday's brilliant programme at Saratoga—it was in that event last year that Jim Dandy whipped Gallant Fox and Whichone, and an untold story of the turf goes with it.

It was back about four winters ago that a stranger walked up to Deacon Moore in the betting ring, at Tia Juana.

"Could a fellow," he wanted to know, "get a fair sized wager placed here?"

"What do you call a fair sized wager?" asked the deacon.

"Oh, ten thousand, fifteen thousand . . ."

"Fifteen thousand what?" demanded the deacon, reaching for an aspirin tablet.

"Dollars," finished the stranger.

Cubs and White Sox Plan Charity Game

CHICAGO—(INS) — Plans are complete for the charity game to be played by the Cubs and White Sox, Sept. 9, at Comiskey park, the site selected yesterday when the Sox won a toss of a coin by Commissioner Landis.

Officials of the United States Golf Association and leading manufacturers of golf balls probably will meet in Chicago in September to discuss the new ball being used this year.

Harry Tompkins, Phoenix, Ariz., youth who has never lost a hundred yard race, will enter Southern California this fall and attempt to follow in the footsteps of Borah and Wyckoff.

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS
by John Hix



In addition to operating a cotton gin for 33 years despit the handicap of blindness, William Slaten ran an 80-acre farm and for seven years worked a saw mill. On one occasion he even plowed. Until he became crippled with rheumatism, Slaten made a habit of raising at three o'clock every morning and working often until ten at night.

Slaten attended the school for the deaf and blind at Cedar Springs, South Carolina, and is now 75 years of age. He has been married three times and is father of six children.

Casade and Ryan's 54-inning battle started in 1925 when the two evenly matched ball teams played 16 innings to a one to one score. A few days later the two teams again met to decide the winner and played 15 innings, each scoring five runs. Weather conditions interfering, the third game was not played until July 4, 1926, and went 14 innings, resulting in another tie, two to two. It was not until the teams had met for the fourth time that the winner was finally determined, Cascade scoring in the sixth and the game ending one to nothing.

The giant 12¾ lb. beet grown by Patsy Migliozzi, measured 41 inches from the roots to the foliage and was 18 inches in circumference.

Any reader wanting further proof of anything depicted here should address the author, care of this paper and enclose a stamped and self-addressed envelope for reply.

JOHN HIX

Tomorrow: Ship-wrecked 24 Times!

WILLIAMS MAY SUCCEED BOLEY

Young Athletic Star Plays Great Game at Shortstop

One of the young ball players of the season who is playing sensational ball is Dib Williams of the Philadelphia Athletics, who went to the American league club as a second baseman but was switched to short to take over the old reliable Joe Boley's job.

Not long ago the fans of the baseball world were somewhat startled when they read in newspapers of a pinch-hitter by the name of Williams clearing the bases with a home run to win the ball game for the Athletics. They began inquiring, "who is this fellow, Dib Williams."

The young star has been with the A's for two year's being one of those minor league pickups. He came from Little Rock of the Southern association and Eddie Collins took him in tow because he was a promising second baseman. When Mack asked Collins what he thought of Williams, he told the great leader that he looked more like a shortstop than a second baseman so was shifted to short.

William did not like the suggestion that he play shortstop, for he knew from the records that Joe Boley had been doing a great job of it, but being an obedient kid he decided that Mack knew best.

Williams had been playing short in the absence of Boley whose legs have gone haywire, and the kid would like to carry on through the world series so that he can say he took part in the classic game. Not so long ago Williams set the town of Philly afire when he hammered a three bager with the bases loaded. Then came that homer with the sacks loaded.

William Roller, a young giant who will try for a line position with the Illinois football team this fall, is a nephew of the famous Doc Roller, wrestler. Doc and his brother Ernest were famous football stars in the early days of the sport.

STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	75	43	.636
New York	64	50	.561
Chicago	66	52	.559
Brooklyn	61	59	.508
Boston	55	59	.482
Pittsburgh	55	60	.478
Philadelphia	49	70	.412
Cincinnati	43	75	.364

Yesterday's Results
Chicago 4-3, Brooklyn 1-5.
Philadelphia 3-4, St. Louis 2-8.
New York 6, Cincinnati 5.
Pittsburgh at Boston, rain.

Games Today
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburgh at Boston.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	82	31	.726
Washington	70	45	.609
New York	65	49	.570
Cleveland	55	59	.482
St. Louis	49	65	.430
Boston	47	68	.409
Chicago	46	69	.400
Detroit	44	72	.379

Yesterday's Results
Philadelphia 4, Chicago 2.
St. Louis 7, New York 3.
Boston 9, Detroit 8.
Cleveland 10-10, Washington 5-8.

Games Today
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at Detroit.
New York at St. Louis.
Washington at Cleveland.

Leo Diegel, Writer For Free Press, Is Low in Qualifiers

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—(INS)—Leo Diegel will lead the metropolitan professional golfers to the P. G. A. tourney in Providence next month. He led the New York players in the qualifiers tests yesterday with a 135. Wiffy Cox, Brooklyn, was second with a 143.

Gene Sarazen, twice pro champion and runner up last year just managed to get in the list of qualifiers with a 150 score.

Diegel is the author of the special golf articles which appear in each Sunday's edition of The Free Press.

SENSATIONS OF COURT TO PLAY

Vines, Wood, Perry on Exhibition Today In Semi-Finals

NEWPORT, R. I.—(INS) — On exhibition in the Newport Casino tennis semi-finals here today will be the three reigning sensations of the courts, two of them the leading American youngsters — Ellsworth Vines and Sidney B. Wood—and the third a Britisher, Frederick J. Perry.

This trio is still in action here. On the other hand, the seeded favorites of the tournament, John Hope Doeg, national champion and No. 1 player, and Frank X. Shields, Davis Cub player and seeded No. 2, have been defeated. Doeg was eliminated by Wood, this year's Wimbledon champion and American Davis Cup team player, in straight sets at 6-1, 6-1, 8-6.

The second ranking player of 1930 Francis X. Shields, was the victim of the California youth, Vines, 3-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-0.

George M. Lott, veteran internationalist, was eliminated by Perry, 6-1, 6-4, 6-2, John Van Ryn played brilliantly to defeat Bryan Grant, Atlanta intercollegiate player, in the only five-set match of the day, 8-10, 0-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2.

Shellenback Wins 32 of 33 Contests

Thirty-two victories out of his last thirty-three games pitched is the record held by Frank Shellenback of the Hollywood baseball team of the Pacific Coast loop.

Despite this wonderful record the big league scouts are not interested in him because he is a spitball pitcher and "spitters" are not allowed to hurl in the majors.

Shellenback's long winning streak started on Aug. 12, 1930. He lost his only game last May but only because his team mates could not score a run.

Army and Illinois will meet again in football in 1933 and 1934.

McLARNIN AND PETROLLE MEET AGAIN TONIGHT

Irishman Favorite in Third Chapter of Fistic Vendetta

By LES CONKLIN
(INS Sports Writer)

NEW YORK—The third and deciding chapter of the fistic vendetta between Jimmy McLarnin and Billy Petrolle, two uncrowned champions of the ring, will be unfolded tonight at Yankee stadium, weather permitting. The distance is ten rounds.

If rain, predicted by the weather bureau, washes out the fight, it will be held tomorrow night.

Although Petrolle gave the Irishman the licking of his life in their first meeting here last November, Smiling Jimmy, as usual, will go into the ring the favorite.

Points for Petrolle

Petrolle, however, has the following four points in his favor:

1. Billy is in fine shape. He had not recovered from a touch of influenza last time out when he performed sluggishly. The old "Zip" was missing, and he was off form in timing his blonde.

2. Subsequently Petrolle replenished his prestige and morale by belting out Justo Suarez, the hard-hitting South American who had never lost a bout previously.

3. McClarnin's notoriously fragile hands may crack up on Petrolle's skull when Billy bobs, weaves and comes in low.

4. —Petrolle, when made the under dog in the betting, almost invariably upsets the dope.

McLarnin Too Smart

In the final analysis, however, McLarnin should prove to be too smart for the game Fargo veteran. The versatile Irishman is a marvel at adapting himself to situations. If he makes a cagey fight and is not lured into slugging by the taunts of Jack Hurley, Petrolle's manager, that he is afraid to mix it, Jimmy should win the decision by a close margin. At his training camp last week he appeared unbeatable.

Hurley admits openly that his man cannot solve McLarnin's new style. Petrolle, who steps in there and gives his opponent and the customers all he has from the second he sheds his famous Navajo blanket, is certain to force the fighting all the way.

But outsmarting the mighty mite, McLarnin, is something else again.

HANLEY ENTERS BOAT IN RACES

Baby Ethel VIII to Compete Saturday And Sunday

Charles P. Hanley, local outboard speed boat driver will leave early Saturday morning for Burlington where he will drive his Baby Ethel VIII in the outboard regatta classic in the B, C, D, and free-for-all races there Saturday and Sunday.

H. G. Ferguson of Lake Elsinore, Calif., winner of the world's championship in the class C races, has entered the regatta along with several other notable drivers from all over the country. Teddy Book, 14-year-old outboard driver from Ft. Madison has entered his "Step In Teddy" in the class B competition.

Among the other notables who will compete for honors are Hamilton Tobin of Vinton, Ia., who has entered the free-for-all with his TNT III. This boat has won races in regattas in Des Moines and La-Crosse, Wis. Charles Washburn of New Berlin, Ill., is expected to enter his 50 horse-power motor in the free-for-all. Mr. Washburn's boat has done five miles in six minutes.

Al Meiskey and Newman, local drivers, have entered the "Pillbox" in class B and C competition.

Desmond Jeans, erstwhile English actor, made a bad start in the merican ring, being flattened by Jack Phoenix in the seventh round. Jeans wears a monocle.

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Figg's Tire Shop-Downey's Boosters Contest Postponed

Because it rained just enough late Wednesday afternoon to make the Jefferson school diamond a bit too wet for play, the first game of the city kittenball tournament between Figg's Tire Shop and Downey's Boosters was postponed until Friday evening.

Approximately 500 people put in their appearance at the field early in the evening and were waiting until some one turned on the floodlights but announcement was made shortly that the game was postponed and the 500 fans left the field disappointed.

The Elks, American leaque champs, will meet the winner of the Tire Boys-Booster engagement in the city finals Monday night, A. J. Lindley of the Y. M. C. A. announced this morning.

DEMPSEY STOPS OPPONENT WITH 'PILLOWCASES'

Manassa Mauler Gets K. O. in Second Over Peasley

RENO, Nev. — (INS) — Jack Dempsey may never again be heavyweight champion of the world, but it would be hard to convince Reno of that today.

For, returning to the ring after an absence of four years, hampered by "pillowcases" in the shape of 16-ounce gloves, the Manassa Mauler displayed enough of the old time form that made him famous to knock out Jack Beasley, Oakland, Cal., heavyweight, in the second round of their scheduled four round exhibition bout here last night.

Beasley made two previous trips to the floor in the round, before he ran into the ex-champion's left which sent the elevator down for the third time to stay.

In the first round Beasley had been the aggressor, landing several hard punches as Dempsey boxed cautiously, apparently feeling out his opponent.

The Mauler weighed 199 when he entered in the ring.

Sixteen hundred fans viewed the performance, jamming the arena to capacity. More than 5,000 were turned away, it was estimated.

American distance runners have been invited to compete in a track and field fair to Truro, Nova Scotia Labor Day.

16TH VICTORY IN ROW GIVES HIM 25 SO FAR

Mack Star Ties 1912 Mark of Joe Wood And Johnson

CHICAGO — (INS) — Robert Moses Grove, left handed ace of the Philadelphia Athletics, today had a record of 25 victories as against two defeats, and a mark of 16 consecutive victories which ties the American League record of Walter Johnson and Smoky Joe Wood.

The 4-2 victory over the White Sox was in a measure revenge as one of Grove's two losses was by the White Sox in a 12-inning battle, June 5. He lost a game the first of the season to Washington.

Grove has an excellent chance to make a new record as he will in all probability pitch against the St. Louis Browns in his next start.

His winning percentage, now .926 also is high and if he continues to fling his deadly fireball as he has in the past, he will surpass the all-time record held by Wood who won 34 and lost 5 in 1912 for a mark of .872.

JENNINGS AND SIMONS CLASH

Match Between the Champ and Southern Star Is Highlight

DETROIT—(INS)—Highlight of the tennis card of the four day play in the National Public Parks Tennis tournament here today will be the singles quarter-final match between George Jennings, Jr., of Chicago, the defending champ, and Arnold Simons, Louisville flash. The match, scheduled for noon, is one of the most important of the meet.

Jennings, who held the crown since 1928, will face the toughest competition of the tournament when he walks into the courts to cross racquets with the Kentuckian. If Jennings is to be unseated from his throne this year, it all depends on Simons. Defeat of Jennings would mean much to the hopes of the remaining singles players.

Johnny Kitzmiller, Oregon star last year, will play professional football with the New York Giants this fall.

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News and Views From Surrounding Communities

Pleasant Prairie

PLEASANT PRAIRIE, Ia.—(Special)—Descentants of Chris Kistemacher held their annual reunion at Credit Island park at Davenport Sunday. One hundred and eighty relatives who are direct descendants of Mr. Kistemacher's five daughters who were all present at the gathering made up one of the largest reuions to be held this summer. The daughters are Mrs. E. D. Blunk, 75, Mrs. Caroline Herring, 74, Mrs. L. Stoltenburg, 71, Mrs. J. H. Schlapkohl, 68, and Mrs. Emma Wunder, 65. There were three groups of four generations at the picnic and are as follows: Mrs. L. Stoltenburg, Mrs. Herman Schroeder, Mrs. Walter Meyer, and Miss Maylyn Meyer; Mrs. J. W. Kistemacher, Ben Kistemacher, Mrs. Iva Plambeck and Miss Dorothy Plambeck; and Mrs. E. V. Blunk, Mrs. Alma Schmidt, Mrs. Otto Gries, and Miss Arline Gries. The oldest member present was Mrs. J. W. Kistemacher, age 87, and the youngest, Alvin Kistemacher, four months. It was decided the next reunion to be held next year would be at Maysville. Those present included:

Mrs. Caroline Herring; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Herring and daughters, Caroline, Elna, and Norma; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Herring and children, Vera, Ralph and Donald; Mrs. E. D. Blunk; Mrs. Alma Schmidt; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gries and daughter Arline of Holstein; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Plett and children, Henry and Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kistemacher and son, Lester; Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Herring and daughters, Edna and Mardell; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schlapkohl and children, Laverna, Lester, Mildred, Dorothy, and Willis; Mr. and Mrs. Schlapkohl; Miss Alma Schlapkohl; Mr. and Mrs. William Schlapkohl and daughters, Bernice, Florence, Erma, and son, Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schlapkohl; Mr. and Mrs . Edwin Schlapkohl; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downs and Edith and Lester; Mrs. Emma Wunder; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunder; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters, and Harvey, Viaol, Lillian, and Edwin; Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Belter and Lorena Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Orry Peters and Glen; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Denklan and Darline and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rochaw and son, Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drumm and Judith, Wayne, and Roger; Mr. and Mrs. August Schlapkohl and Henry, Elder and Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Hugho Kistemacher and Bernice and Ruth; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schroeder and Milda, Elmer, Walter, and Erline; Mr. and Mrs. A. Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Petersen; Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Koetsch; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mankels and Edna and Edwin; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paetz; Mrs. Fred Pohlmann; Miss Meta Kistemacher; John and Charles Tough; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stormer; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer and Doris and Darline; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Al Wichelmann and Phillis and Ora Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKennan and Elsie, Clara, George, Warren and Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stoltenburg; Mr. and Mrs. Hugho Dietz and daughters, Alice and Verna; Rolland Secoy; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rochow and daughter, Lucile; Mr. and Mrs. Jens Petersen, and Helen, Mae, and Terrence; Mrs. Alvin Lenker; Mrs. Margaret Kest; Mr. and Mrs. William Yarrow and daughter, Alice; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lovell; Mr. and Mrs. William Kaskodder; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson; Mrs. Marion Nelson; Mrs. Mary Hubbe; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson and son, Warren; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kistemacher and Etta Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Plambeck and Everett, Dorothy, Forest and Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kist and Edger and Alvin; Fritz Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyer and Marylin; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brandt;; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kistemacher and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kistemacher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Paustain daughter, Lucile, and sons, Lester, George, Herbert and Donald of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. William Duge and daughter, Verna of Stockton, Mrs. Louis Duge of Muscatine; and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eis and daughters, Reba, Elna and Coryne enjoyed an all day picnic at the Wild Cat Den park Friday.

Mrs. Mayme Dubois and son Edward of Ottumwa are spending the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cawiezell. Mrs. Dubois is a sister of Mrs. Cawiezell.

Lyall Paul and Leo Fix attended the Future Farmer picnic at Rotary camp, near West Liberty Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jenkins and daughters, Vera and Dorothy and son, Milroy enjoyed a picnic at Wild Cat Den Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wathan and daughters, Dorothy and Gladys were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cawiezell at West Liberty Sunday.

Miss Kate Eis and Adam Eis of Muscatine were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sissel home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Plett, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer and daughters, Doris and Darline, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunder, Miss Marie Plett, and Henry Plett attended the Kistemacher reunion held at Credit Island Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kretschmar of Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kretschmar visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kretschmar Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hermann and daughters, Mildred and Doris spent the week end in Chicago visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. G. Plett was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening when a company of friends came to celebrate here birthday anniversary. The evening was spent playing five hundred at five tables and the prizes were won by Mrs. Ira Benshoof, Mrs. Robert Wunder, and Ira Benshoof. Those present at the affair included Mrs. J. Dubois and son Edward of Ottumwa, Mrs. Emma Wunder and Arthur Wunder of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cawiezell and sons, Earl, George, and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunder, Mrs. Robert Bennert, Mr. and Mrs. William Hermann and daughter, Ruth and son Loren, Charles Graffe, Glen Hermann, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Benshoof, Mr. and Mrs. George Grimm and daughter, Marvel and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Petersen and daughters, Grace and Eunice and son, Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eis and daughters, Reba, Elna and Coryne spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Paustain at Davenport.

Mrs. Ada Riemcke spent the week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merril Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bernick and daughter Nadine left last week for the lakes in Minnesota where they will spent some time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Cole motored to Hampton and Lake Park Saturday and will spend several days there visiting relatives.

Miss Margaret Jane Harker of Moline spent several days last week visiting at the D. P. Kelley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bermel and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bermel motored to Dickysville, Wis., last week.

Mrs. Anna Jenkins and daughters, Kathryn, Betty, and Frances, and son, Edwin left Monday morning for Grand Junction, Ia., where they will spend the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jakeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Strunk returned home Sunday after spending several days last week visiting in western Iowa.

Fred Kretschmar was a business caller in Davenport Saturday morning.

The third annual reunion of the heirs of John Baker, and early settler of Blue Grass, Ia., was held, August 16 at the Public park at Marengo, Ia.

Picnic dinner was enjoyed at noon, after which a business meeting was held. It was moved and seconded that present officers be held over another year.

The third Sunday in August was designated as the meeting place.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker and grandson, Bobby Lakin, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Mallicoat, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mallicoat of Newton, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Baker and daughters, Faye, Gwendolyn and Marjorie and son, Reid of Iowa Falls, Mrs. Carl Southern and son, Orlo of Mingo, Mr. and Mrs. Jadie Kimberley of Collins, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nunn of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Allbee, and sons, Kenneth and Harvey, Miss Ethelyn Van Atta, Miss Maude Pace, and Miss Madeline Reeves of Muscatine, Mrs. Lettie Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Baker and son, Walter, Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins, and daughters, Helen, Mary, Alice, and Myrtle and son, Ralph, and Mr. and Mrs. George Allbee and sons. Bobby and Billy.

Members of the Stecher family held their annual reunion at the Tourists park at Homestead, Ia., Sunday. There was a picnic luncheon held at noon and the afternoon spent in a social way. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Freese, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stecher, and Joe Stecher of Kellog, Frank Stecher of Rock Island, Carl Hearst of Moscow, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bermel and children, Delores, Dorothy, Frank, Paul, Arline, and Evelyn of Sweetland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bermel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stecher, Sr., Miss Dorothea Stecher, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stecher and daughters Bernice, Alberta, and Mary and sons, Bernard, Raymond and Lyle.

WAPELLO

WAPELLO, Ia. — (Special) — Mrs. Mary Coleman entertained Friday at a 1 o'clock luncheon as a courtesy to her mother, Mrs. Emily McChesney of Hemet, Calif.; also honoring Mrs. Kate Potter, who is visiting here from Livingston, Mont. Other guests present sharing the event were: Mrs. Mary Wehmeyer, Mrs. Kate Williamson, Mrs. Henry Plitt, Mrs. W. C. Archibald, Mrs. Mayme Thomas, Mrs. Frank Pemble, Mrs. James Bates, Mrs. Gladys Olinger, Mrs. Henry Young, Mrs. George Potter, Mrs. George Foor, Mrs. C. E. Burdine, Mrs. Emma Wright, Mrs. W. E. Edwards, Miss Mary Davis. A social afternoon followed the luncheon hour.

Misses Ethel Murray and Marion Robertson of the L. C. G. C. club of Wapello township were awarded first place in the demonstration teams in the 4-H girls achievement program given at the Louisa County Farm bureau picnic which was held at Columbus Junction Chautauqua park, Friday. Verlee and Lucile Pontzius placed third in the judging contest. Misses Mary Pauline Hiller and Harriet Kreiner of the Bluebird club placed third in the demonstration work with the demonstration of the neckline and finish.

Miss Ada Smith, county superintendent of schools, has received $161.10 as Louisa county's apportionment of $100,000 appropriated by the state legislature for standardized rural schools. The state department has set down certain requirements for a standardized rural school, namely, they must have a teacher with a first grade certificate, a building meeting certain requirements, a library and equipment which are up to standard.

Louisa county has five such rural schools. A certain number of pupils is also a requisite and the apportionment is based upon the number attending. Following is a list of Louisa county standard schools and their teachers: District No. 2, in Union township, known as Frog Pond, teacher, Rosa Davison; District No. 2, in Oakland township, known as Baker, teacher, Arlene Stolley; District No. in Columbus City township, teacher, Hazel Thompson; District No. 1, in concord township, known as Washington, teacher, Faithe Walter; District Nos. 6 and 7, in Concord township, known as Indian Creek, teacher, Marie Brenneman Fisher.

Mrs. Frank Ober of Burlington and mother, Mrs. F. T. Kelley, were guests of Miss Belle Smith Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Dodds and three daughters went to Mediapolis, and spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives and old home friends and attending the chautauqua. Mr. Dodds joined them Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downs and son, Dean, spent the week-end visiting with relatives at Alexis, Ill.

The Rev. C. H. Boos, pastor of the Harrison Avenue church at Burlington preached the evening service Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal church to a large and appreciative congregation.

The Rev. C. E. Riddington of Ottumwa, Ia., preached both morning and evening Sunday at the Louisa Center Baptist church.

J. Wall, Frank Warnstaff, C. E. Nicholson, of Conesville, were business visitors at the courthouse Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fisher motored to Searsboro, Ia., Sunday for a short visit in the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. William McCullough and husband and with his cousin, Mr. D. McCullough, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lowe and children, Bernadine, Bobby and Paul, of Columbus Junction visited Sunday in the Ed Fisher home.

Miss Frances Foster, a trained nurse, has been visiting for three weeks in the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Fort, of Stronghurst, Ill., Miss Foster graduated from the Wapello high school in the class of 1924 and completed the nurse's training course at the Burlington hospital and is now making her home in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Christman and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reid, of Spring Mount, Penn., came Saturday night for a week's visit in the Arthur Whistler home. Mrs. Christman and Mr. Whistler are sister and brother.

Funeral services for Mrs. H. W. Hunt of Mt. Vernon who passed away at her home there will be held at 3 p. m., Monday, at the Wapello cemetery. She is the mother of Ed and Ralph B. Hunt of Oakville. She is also survived by three daughters, Misses Mattie and Hortense of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Ella Gilbert of Chicago, Ill.

A reunion of the Wiederrecht family was held at the country home of Joe Hayes Sunday with sixty-seven present for the occassion. Those attending were: Louis Wiederrecht and grandson, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williamson and family, Mrs. Sumner Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hayes and daughter, Alvina, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Wiederrecht, Fred Wiederrecht and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wiederrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiederrecht and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Scheafor, Mr. and Mrs. Fan Sheafor, Mrs. Kate Williamson, Mrs. Earl Kreiner and daughter Harriet, George Kreiner, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and Lucille, all of Wapello; Mr. and Mrs. Will Wiederrecht of Davenport; Mrs. Kate Potter of Livingston, Montana; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Craner and Dorothy Mae of Fort Worth, Texas; J. J. Craner of Henrietta, Texas; Mrs. Frances Lieberknecht and three daughters of Beloit, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McKinney, Earl C. Boyden, of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lieberknecht and daughter Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Dickerson, of Letts, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Johnson of Columbus City.

One hundred persons attended the reunion of the Jamison family held at Oak Grove at Morning Sun Saturday. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Dou McKinney of Wapello, President; Mrs. Lois Gilling of Mediapolis, vice president; William Thompson of Morning Sun, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mills and Ida Glen have returned home from a trip to points of interest in Colorado and a visit with relatives in Nebraska. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Downey of Muscatine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Owens and daughter of Cedar Rapids are visiting in the Mark Jack and James Wilson homes.

NOLO

NOLO, Ia.—(Special)—A number from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. John Stouffer of Walcott which was held Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Stouffer has lived in Walcott all her life. She was a daughter of the late Louis and Catherine Hinz and her husband John Stouffer is vice-president of the Walcott Savings bank she also has one daughter, Mrs. George Hass of Durant and two sons, Lloyd H. Stouffer of Davenport, Elmore J. Stouffer of Detroit, Mich. Funeral services were held at the home and burial took place in the Walcott cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stigers who motored to Matherville, Ill., Saturday to visit Mrs. Stigers' neice, Mrs. John Fitzpatrick will return home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hilbert and family visited in Davenport Saturday evening.

Mrs. Henry Fisher, Charles Friday and daughter, Bessie, left for Newton Friday to visit relatives. They will return home Sunday evening.

Vernon Stigers made a business trip to Davenport Saturday.

Those who visited at the William Schaelhaase home last week were as follows: Robert Stelm from the University of Oregon, Bud Stapp of Rock Island, Mrs. William Friedrich and Mrs. H. Hinkeldey, Alta, Ia.

Mrs. Victor Eickstaedt of Davenport, Mrs. Roy Drumm and sons of Davenport, Mrs. W. E. Vieth, son, Duane and daughter, Marjorie and Mrs. Rev. Horn all of Davenport.

Mrs. William Schaelhaase attended the outing of the Lutheran Ladies Aid of Davenport Friday.

Frieda and Margaret Lange were business callers in Davenport Thursday.

EDGINGTON

EDGINGTON, Ill. — (Special)—The rural letter carriers and ladies auxiliary of Rock Island county met Saturday evening in the home of Fred C. Hofer. Pot luck supper was served to about 25 on the lawn. Both organizations held business in which Mrs. Raymond Walker, Mrs. William Petterman and James Bell gave a good report of the convention at Streator, Ill. The next meeting will be in the home of James Bell, Sept. 19.

Mrs. Ira Johnson has returned to her home in Rock Island after caring for the new baby in the home of Clifford Tittertington.

Everett L. Hayes and sons Leo and Dale of Rock Island are visiting today in the home of Thomas Hayes.

KALONA

KALONA, Ia.—(Special) — Mrs. Dessie Figgins and sons, Curtis and Clay, spent Sunday at the home of Mr .and Mrs. Cloyce Allen in Iowa City.

Olaf Thompson a nephew of Frank Thompson has rented the T. L. DeWees farm west of Kalona and will move soon. Mr. De Wees purchased the farm a few months ago from Mrs. Sarah Wells and has occupied the farm since that time but due to the ill health of Mrs. De Wees they are moving back to Cedar Rapids. Mr. De Wees will sell his household goods at his home Aug. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stillwell and daughters, Clare and Louise are attending the fair at Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Knerr went to Chariton, Ia., Sunday to spend the day with Mr. Knerr's parents. They returned Monday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Knerr who will spend a few days with them.

Mrs. Edithe Welte is caring for Mrs. Harold Schnoeblen who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Alt and daughter Erma Jean drove to Graham, Mo., Sunday to spend the day with the former's sister, Mrs. Glenn Richardson who has been quite ill. Mrs. Harvey Hofer who has been there for the last week returned home with them.

Mrs. Ira Bender had the misfortune to tear the ligaments loose in her foot, Friday.

Mrs. A. W. Britton and daughter, Jennie, were Iowa City visitors Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Gordon Smith of Clarence, Ia., spent Sunday in Kalona.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Seems and daughter Marlin spent Sunday at Grace Hill.

Miss Leona Welte is spending the week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Welte at Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grout are vacationing at Spirit Lake.

Mrs. Paul Benell and daughter, Joan are spending the week at the parental Harry Payne home at Washington.

Mrs. Joe Walter and son Robert Gene returned Sunday from Illinois where they had been visiting at the home of her parents for the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Roop and daughters Katie and Rosetta and Chris E. Hershberger left Sunday for Michigan where they will attend the Amish Mennonite conference held there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beranek, son Joseph and daughter Betty, of Cedar Rapids, spent Sunday at the T. L. De Wees home near Kalona.

Roy Hochestetler, who for the last several months has occupied the Perry Dawson home in the north part of town moved Monday to the Thomas Moore property in the west part of Kalona. Mr. Dawson who has been living with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stump on a farm near Kalona will occupy their home vacated by Mr. Hochestetler.

John Strickler has been ill with flu for the last few days and unable to be at his work at Kauffman's Feed store.

White Kauffman left Saturday for Canada for a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swartzendruber and Elmer Swartzendruber, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Gingerich, Mary and Eliza Hochestetler, Mary Gingerich, Albert Swartzendruber, Fannie Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beachy, Lydia and Nettie Beachy and Dan Bontrager are attending the Amish Mennonite conference in Michigan.

Wilson Gingerich ran into a telephone pole back of the Lincoln Cafe Monday morning and knocked it down. Sixteen business places were without telephone service throughout the day.

Miss Juanita Ritz, who for several weeks has been visiting relatives in Wisconsin returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Kolosick and daughter Dorothy and Mrs. Charles Kolosick visited friends in Riverside Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koss of Riverside, Mr. and Mrs. James Preby and family of Richmond and Henry Horning were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prebyl.

Dale Welte who has been traveling throughout Minnesota came home Sunday for a few days vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bontrager are enjoying a visit from the former's parents and his sister from Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Winborn entertained the following guests at their home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. A. Whitmore of Garrison, Mrs. Lewis Winborn of Williamsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Rolf Shaw of Vinton, and Mr. and Mrs. John Winborn and family of Kalona.

Mr. E. H. Rief and Amos Rochestetler were business visitors in Cedar Rapids Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Deane Feldman and Mrs. Mary Ford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Felzke.

Max See returned to his home at Washington Sunday after visiting several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Boone.

Weldon Yoder has resumed his work at Beck and Son grocery after a two weeks vacation.

MELPINE

MELPINE, Ia.—(Special) — Carl Tieche and assistants of Muscatine are plastering the new home on the George Grimm farm this week.

Earl McElroy was a business caller in this vicinity Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bentley and sons Junior and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Petersen, Grace, Floyd and Unice, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Paul and son and Robert Riemcke, Mrs. D. A. Cole, Mrs. G. R. Cole and Donna Jean and Richard, Mrs. George Grimm and daughter Marie, Marguerite Van Hooteghem, Fred Smith, Maynard McKillip, Billy Cooper attended a picnic at Paul's Grove given by the Pleasant Prairie Unity club Wednesday.

Several families of this vicinity attended a dance at Paul's Grove Wednesday night given by Pleasant Prairie Boosters.

Roy Jakeman of Montpelier spent Wednesday at the home of his brother, Harry Jakeman.

Margaret Jane Harker of Moline is visiting several days at the D. P. Kelley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jarck, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riemers, Edward, Herbert Riemers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Paul and family ,Mr. and Mrs. Charley Drumm and family, Mr. and Henry Martz and family attended a picnic at Weed park given by members of the Progressive club of Wilton township Tuesday evening.





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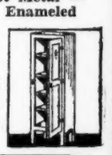
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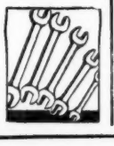
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Pleasant Prairie

PLEASANT PRAIRIE, Ia.—(Special)—Descentants of Chris Kistemacher held their annual reunion at Credit Island park at Davenport Sunday. One hundred and eighty relatives who are direct descendants of Mr. Kistemacher's five daughters who were all present at the gathering made up one of the largest reuions to be held this summer. The daughters are Mrs. E. D. Blunk, 75, Mrs. Caroline Herring, 74, Mrs. L. Stoltenburg, 71, Mrs. J. H. Schlapkohl, 68, and Mrs. Emma Wunder, 65. There were three groups of four generations at the picnic and are as follows: Mrs. L. Stoltenburg, Mrs. Herman Schroeder, Mrs. Walter Meyer, and Miss Maylyn Meyer; Mrs. J. W. Kistemacher, Ben Kistemacher, Mrs. Iva Plambeck and Miss Dorothy Plambeck; and Mrs. E. V. Blunk, Mrs. Alma Schmidt, Mrs. Otto Gries, and Miss Arline Gries. The oldest member present was Mrs. J. W. Kistemacher, age 87, and the youngest, Alvin Kistemacher, four months. It was decided the next reunion to be held next year would be at Maysville. Those present included:

Mrs. Caroline Herring; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Herring and daughters, Caroline, Elna, and Norma; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Herring and children, Vera, Ralph and Donald; Mrs. E. D. Blunk; Mrs. Alma Schmidt; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gries and daughter Arline of Holstein; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Plett and children, Henry and Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kistemacher and son, Lester; Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Herring and daughters, Edna and Mardell; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schlapkohl and children, Laverna, Lester, Mildred, Dorothy, and Willis; Mr. and Mrs. Schlapkohl; Miss Alma Schlapkohl; Mr. and Mrs. William Schlapkohl and daughters, Bernice, Florence, Erma, and son, Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schlapkohl; Mr. and Mrs . Edwin Schlapkohl; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downs and Edith and Lester; Mrs. Emma Wunder; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunder; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters, and Harvey, Viaol, Lillian, and Edwin; Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Belter and Lorena Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Orry Peters and Glen; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Denklan and Darline and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rochaw and son, Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drumm and Judith, Wayne, and Roger; Mr. and Mrs. August Schlapkohl and Henry, Elder and Marie; Mr. and Mrs. Hugho Kistemacher and Bernice and Ruth; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schroeder and Milda, Elmer, Walter, and Erline; Mr. and Mrs. A. Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Petersen; Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Koetsch; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mankels and Edna and Edwin; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paetz; Mrs. Fred Pohlmann; Miss Meta Kistemacher; John and Charles Tough; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stormer; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer and Doris and Darline; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Al Wichelmann and Phillis and Ora Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKennan and Elsie, Clara, George, Warren and Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stoltenburg; Mr. and Mrs. Hugho Dietz and daughters, Alice and Verna; Rolland Secoy; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rochow and daughter, Lucile; Mr. and Mrs. Jens Petersen, and Helen, Mae, and Terrence; Mrs. Alvin Lenker; Mrs. Margaret Kest; Mr. and Mrs. William Yarrow and daughter, Alice; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lovell; Mr. and Mrs. William Kaskodder; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson; Mrs. Marion Nelson; Mrs. Mary Hubbe; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nelson and son, Warren; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kistemacher and Etta Mae; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Plambeck and Everett, Dorothy, Forest and Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kist and Edger and Alvin; Fritz Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyer and Marylin; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brandt;; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kistemacher and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kistemacher; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kistemacher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Paustain daughter, Lucile, and sons, Lester, George, Herbert and Donald of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. William Duge and daughter, Verna of Stockton, Mrs. Louis Duge of Muscatine; and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eis and daughters, Reba, Elna and Coryne enjoyed an all day picnic at the Wild Cat Den park Friday.

Mrs. Mayme Dubois and son Edward of Ottumwa are spending the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cawiezell, Mrs. Dubois is a sister of Mrs. Cawiezell.

Lyall Paul and Leo Fix attended the Future Farmer picnic at Rotary camp, near West Liberty Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jenkins and daughters, Vera and Dorothy and son, Milroy enjoyed a picnic at Wild Cat Den Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wathan and daughters, Dorothy and Gladys were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cawiezell at West Liberty Sunday.

Miss Kate Eis and Adam Eis of Muscatine were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sissel home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Plett, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stormer and daughters, Doris and Darline, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunder, Miss Marie Plett, and Henry Plett attended the Kistemacher reunion held at Credit Island Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kretschmar of Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kretschmar visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kretschmar Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hermann and daughters, Mildred and Doris spent the week end in Chicago visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. G. Plett was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening when a company of friends came to celebrate here birthday anniversary. The evening was spent playing five hundred at five tables and the prizes were won by Mrs. Ira Benshoof, Mrs. Robert Wunder, and Ira Benshoof. Those present at the affair included Mrs. J. Dubois and son Edward of Ottumwa, Mrs. Emma Wunder and Arthur Wunder of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cawiezell and sons, Earl, George, and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wunder, Mrs. Robert Bennert, Mr. and Mrs. William Hermann and daughter, Ruth and son Loren, Charles Graffe, Glen Hermann, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Benshoof, Mr. and Mrs. George Grimm and daughter, Marvel and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Petersen and daughters, Grace and Eunice and son, Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eis and daughters, Reba, Elna and Coryne spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Paustain at Davenport.

Mrs. Ada Riemcke spent the week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merril Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bernick and daughter Nadine left last week for the lakes in Minnesota where they will spent some time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Cole motored to Hampton and Lake Park Saturday and will spend several days there visiting relatives.

Miss Margaret Jane Harker of Moline spent several days last week visiting at the D. P. Kelley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bermel and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bermel motored to Dickysville, Wis., last week.

Mrs. Anna Jenkins and daughters, Kathryn, Betty, and Frances, and son, Edwin left Monday morning for Grand Junction, Ia., where they will spend the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jakeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Strunk returned home Sunday after spending several days last week visiting in western Iowa.

Fred Kretschmar was a business caller in Davenport Saturday morning.

The third annual reunion of the heirs of John Baker, and early settler of Blue Grass, Ia., was held, August 16 at the Public park at Marengo, Ia.

Picnic dinner was enjoyed at noon, after which a business meeting was held. It was moved and seconded that present officers be held over another year.

The third Sunday in August was designated as the meeting place.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker and grandson, Bobby Lakin, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Mallicoat, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mallicoat of Newton, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Baker and daughters, Faye, Gwendolyn and Marjorie and son, Reid of Iowa Falls, Mrs. Carl Southern and son, Orlo of Mingo, Mr. and Mrs. Jadie Kimberley of Collins, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nunn of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Allbee, and sons, Kenneth and Harvey, Miss Ethelyn Van Atta, Miss Maude Pace, and Miss Madeline Reeves of Muscatine, Mrs. Lettie Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Baker and son, Walter, Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins, and daughters, Helen, Mary, Alice, and Myrtle and son, Ralph, and Mr. and Mrs. George Allbee and sons. Bobby and Billy.

Members of the Stecher family held their annual reunion at the Tourists park at Homestead, Ia., Sunday. There was a picnic luncheon held at noon and the afternoon spent in a social way. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Freese, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stecher, and Joe Stecher of Kellog, Frank Stecher of Rock Island, Carl Hearst of Moscow, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bermel and children, Delores, Dorothy, Frank, Paul, Arline, and Evelyn of Sweetland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bermel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stecher, Sr., Miss Dorothea Stecher, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stecher and daughters Bernice, Alberta, and Mary and sons, Bernard, Raymond and Lyle.

WAPELLO

WAPELLO, Ia. — (Special) — Mrs. Mary Coleman entertained Friday at a 1 o'clock luncheon as a courtesy to her mother, Mrs. Emily McChesney of Hemet, Calif.; also honoring Mrs. Kate Potter, who is visiting here from Livingston, Mont. Other guests present sharing the event were: Mrs. Mary Wehmeyer, Mrs. Kate Williamson, Mrs. Henry Plitt, Mrs. W. C. Archibald, Mrs. Mayme Thomas, Mrs. Frank Pemble, Mrs. James Bates, Mrs. Gladys Olinger, Mrs. Henry Young, Mrs. George Potter, Mrs. George Foor, Mrs. C. E. Burdine, Mrs. Emma Wright, Mrs. W. E. Edwards, Miss Mary Davis. A social afternoon followed the luncheon hour.

Misses Ethel Murray and Marion Robertson of the L. C. G. C. club of Wapello township were awarded first place in the demonstration teams in the 4-H girls achievement program given at the Louisa County Farm bureau picnic which was held at Columbus Junction Chautauqua park, Friday. Verlee and Lucile Pontzius placed third in the judging contest. Misses Mary Pauline Hiller and Harriet Kreiner of the Bluebird club placed third in the demonstration work with the demonstration of the neckline and finish.

Miss Ada Smith, county superintendent of schools, has received $161.10 as Louisa county's apportionment of $100,000 appropriated by the state legislature for standardized rural schools. The state department has set down certain requirements for a standardized rural school, namely, they must have a teacher with a first grade certificate, a building meeting certain requirements, a library and equipment which are up to standard.

Louisa county has five such rural schools. A certain number of pupils is also a requisite and the apportionment is based upon the number attending. Following is a list of Louisa county standard schools and their teachers: District No. 2, in Union township, known as Frog Pond, teacher, Rosa Davison; District No. 2, in Oakland township, known as Baker, teacher, Arlene Stolley; District No. 6, in Columbus City township, teacher, Hazel Thompson; District No. 1, in concord township, known as Washington, teacher, Faithe Walter; District Nos. 6 and 7, in Concord township, known as Indian Creek, teacher, Marie Brenneman Fisher.

Mrs. Frank Ober of Burlington and mother, Mrs. F. T. Kelley, were guests of Miss Belle Smith Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Dodds and three daughters went to Mediapolis, and spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives and old home friends and attending the chautauqua. Mr. Dodds joined them Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downs and son, Dean, spent the week-end visiting with relatives at Alexis, Ill.

The Rev. C. H. Boos, pastor of the Harrison Avenue church at Burlington preached the evening service Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal church to a large and appreciative congregation.

The Rev. C. E. Riddington of Ottumwa, Ia., preached both morning and evening Sunday at the Louisa Center Baptist church.

J. Wall, Frank Warnstaff, C. E. Nicholson, of Conesville, were business visitors at the courthouse Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fisher motored to Searsboro, Ia., Sunday for a short visit in the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. William McCullough and husband and with his cousin, Mr. D. McCullough, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lowe and children, Bernadine, Bobby and Paul, of Columbus Junction visited Sunday in the Ed Fisher home.

Miss Frances Foster, a trained nurse, has been visiting for three weeks in the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Fort, of Stronghurst, Ill., Miss Foster graduated from the Wapello high school in the class of 1924 and completed the nurse's training course at the Burlington hospital and is now making her home in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Christman and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reid, of Spring Mount, Penn., came Saturday night for a week's visit in the Arthur Whistler home. Mrs. Christman and Mr. Whistler are sister and brother.

Funeral services for Mrs. H. W. Hunt of Mt. Vernon who passed away at her home there will be held at 3 p. m., Monday, at the Wapello cemetery. She is the mother of Ed and Ralph B. Hunt of Oakville. She is also survived by three daughters, Misses Mattie and Hortense of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Ella Gilbert of Chicago, Ill.

A reunion of the Wiederrecht family was held at the country home of Joe Hayes Sunday with sixty-seven present for the occassion. Those attending were: Louis Wiederrecht and grandson, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williamson and family, Mrs. Sumner Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hayes and daughter, Alvina, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Wiederrecht, Fred Wiederrecht and family, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wiederrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiederrecht and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Scheafor, Mr. and Mrs. Fan Sheafor, Mrs. Kate Williamson, Mrs. Earl Kreiner and daughter Harriet, George Kreiner, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and Lucille, all of Wapello; Mr. and Mrs. Will Wiederrecht of Davenport; Mrs. Kate Potter of Livingston, Montana; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Craner and Dorothy Mae of Fort Worth, Texas; J. J. Craner of Henrietta, Texas; Mrs. Frances Lieberknecht and three daughters of Beloit, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McKinney, Earl C. Boyden, of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lieberknecht and daughter Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Dickerson, of Letts, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Johnson of Columbus City.

One hundred persons attended the reunion of the Jamison family held at Oak Grove at Morning Sun Saturday. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Dou McKinney of Wapello, President; Mrs. Lois Gilling of Mediapolis, vice president; William Thompson of Morning Sun, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mills and Ida Glen have returned home from a trip to points of interest in Colorado and a visit with relatives in Nebraska. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Downey of Muscatine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Owens and daughter of Cedar Rapids are visiting in the Mark Jack and James Wilson homes.

NOLO

NOLO, Ia.—(Special)—A number from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. John Stouffer of Walcott which was held Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Stouffer has lived in Walcott all her life. She was a daughter of the late Louis and Catherine Hinz and her husband John Stouffer is vice-president of the Walcott Savings bank she also has one daughter, Mrs. George Hass of Durant and two sons, Lloyd H. Stouffer of Davenport, Elmore J. Stouffer of Detroit, Mich. Funeral services were held at the home and burial took place in the Walcott cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stigers who motored to Matherville, Ill., Saturday to visit Mrs. Stigers' neice, Mrs. John Fitzpatrick will return home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hilbert and family visited in Davenport Saturday evening.

Mrs. Henry Fisher, Charles Friday and daughter, Bessie, left for Newton Friday to visit relatives. They will return home Sunday evening.

Vernon Stigers made a business trip to Davenport Saturday.

Those who visited at the William Schaelhaase home last week were as follows: Robert Stelm from the University of Oregon, Bud Stapp of Rock Island, Mrs. William Friedrich and Mrs. H. Hinkeldey, Alta, Ia.

Mrs. Victor Eickstaedt of Davenport, Mrs. Roy Drumm and sons of Davenport, Mrs. W. E. Vieth, son, Duane and daughter, Marjorie and Mrs. Rev. Horn all of Davenport.

Mrs. William Schaelhaase attended the outing of the Lutheran Ladies Aid of Davenport Friday.

Frieda and Margaret Lange were business callers in Davenport Thursday.

EDGINGTON

EDGINGTON, Ill. — (Special)—The rural letter carriers and ladies auxiliary of Rock Island county met Saturday evening in the home of Fred C. Hofer. Pot luck supper was served to about 25 on the lawn. Both organizations held business in which Mrs. Raymond Walker, Mrs. William Petterman and James Bell gave a good report of the convention at Streator, Ill. The next meeting will be in the home of James Bell, Sept. 19.

Mrs. Ira Johnson has returned to her home in Rock Island after caring for the new baby in the home of Clifford Tittertington.

Everett L. Hayes and sons Leo and Dale of Rock Island are visiting today in the home of Thomas Hayes.

KALONA

KALONA, Ia.—(Special) — Mrs. Dessie Figgins and sons, Curtis and Clay, spent Sunday at the home of Mr .and Mrs. Cloyce Allen in Iowa City.

Olaf Thompson a nephew of Frank Thompson has rented the T. L. DeWees farm west of Kalona and will move soon. Mr. De Wees purchased the farm a few months ago from Mrs. Sarah Wells and has occupied the farm since that time but due to the ill health of Mrs. De Wees they are moving back to Cedar Rapids. Mr. De Wees will sell his household goods at his home Aug. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stillwell and daughters, Clare and Louise are attending the fair at Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Knerr went to Chariton, Ia., Sunday to spend the day with Mr. Knerr's parents. They returned Monday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Knerr who will spend a few days with them.

Mrs. Edithe Welte is caring for Mrs. Harold Schnoeblen who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Alt and daughter Erma Jean drove to Graham, Mo., Sunday to spend the day with the former's sister, Mrs. Glenn Richardson who has been quite ill. Mrs. Harvey Hofer who has been there for the last week returned home with them.

Mrs. Ira Bender had the misfortune to tear the ligaments loose in her foot, Friday.

Mrs. A. W. Britton and daughter, Jennie, were Iowa City visitors Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Gordon Smith of Clarence, Ia., spent Sunday in Kalona.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Seems and daughter Marlin spent Sunday at Grace Hill.

Miss Leona Welte is spending the week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Welte at Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grout are vacationing at Spirit Lake.

Mrs. Paul Benell and daughter, Joan are spending the week at the parental Harry Payne home at Washington.

Mrs. Joe Walter and son Robert Gene returned Sunday from Illinois where they had been visiting at the home of her parents for the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Roop and daughters Katie and Rosetta and Chris E. Hershberger left Sunday for Michigan where they will attend the Amish Mennonite conference held there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beranek, son Joseph and daughter Betty, of Cedar Rapids, spent Sunday at the T. L. De Wees home near Kalona.

Roy Hochestetler, who for the last several months has occupied the Perry Dawson home in the north part of town moved Monday to the Thomas Moore property in the west part of Kalona. Mr. Dawson who has been living with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stump on a farm near Kalona will occupy their home vacated by Mr. Hochestetler.

John Strickler has been ill with flu for the last few days and unable to be at his work at Kauffman's Feed store.

White Kauffman left Saturday for Canada for a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swartzendruber and Elmer Swartzendruber, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Gingerich, Mary and Eliza Hochestetler, Mary Gingerich, Albert Swartzendruber, Fannie Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beachy, Lydia and Nettie Beachy and Dan Bontrager are attending the Amish Mennonite conference in Michigan.

Wilson Gingerich ran into a telephone pole back of the Lincoln Cafe Monday morning and knocked it down. Sixteen business places were without telephone service thrpughout the day.

Miss Juanita Ritz, who for several weeks has been visiting relatives in Wisconsin returned home Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rief and son Logan and Mrs. Nellie Edmondson spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Manatt in Iowa City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Swartzendruber, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gingerich, Mr. and Mrs. John Stutsman, Velma and Mary Eash spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gingerich.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bontrager are enjoying a visit from the former's parents and his sister from Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Winborn entertained the following guests at their home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. A. Whitmore of Garrison, Mrs. Lewis Winborn of Williamsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Rolf Shaw of Vinton, and Mr. and Mrs. John Winborn and family of Kalona.

Mr. E. H. Rief and Amos Rochestetler were business visitors in Cedar Rapids Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Deane Feldman and Mrs. Mary Ford were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Felzke.

Max See returned to his home at Washington Sunday after visiting several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Boone.

Weldon Yoder has resumed his work at Beck and Son grocery after a two weeks vacation.

MELPINE

MELPINE, Ia.—(Special) — Carl Tieche and assistants of Muscatine are plastering the new home on the George Grimm farm this week.

Earl McElroy was a business caller in this vicinity Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bentley and sons Junior and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Petersen, Grace, Floyd and Unice, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Paul and son and Robert Riemcke, Mrs. D. A. Cole, Mrs. G. R. Cole and Donna Jean and Richard, Mrs. George Grimm and daughter Marie, Marguerite Van Hooteghem, Fred Smith, Maynard McKillip, Billy Cooper attended a picnic at Paul's Grove given by the Pleasant Prairie Unity club Wednesday.

Several families of this vicinity attended a dance at Paul's Grove Wednesday night given by Pleasant Prairie Boosters.

Roy Jakeman of Montpelier spent Wednesday at the home of his brother, Harry Jakeman.

Margaret Jane Harker of Moline is visiting several days at the D. P. Kelley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jarck, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riemers, Edward, Herbert Riemers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Paul and family ,Mr. and Mrs. Charley Drumm and family, Mr. and Henry Martz and family attended a picnic at Weed park given by members of the Progressive club of Wilton township Tuesday evening.





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RIVER JUNCTION

RIVER JUNCTION, Ia. — (Special)—The descendants of the Strong familes enjoyed a family picnic at Weed park in Muscatine, Sunday, where they enjoyed the day visiting and music by different ones of the family, with 45 in attendance. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott, John and Glenna, Mrs. Frank Elliott, St., and Bert; Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur and Darlene, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kincaid and three children, Mrs. George Kincaid, Susie Herman, Edna Gosney, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Kincaid and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Strong of Muscatine, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kincaid and Mildred of Thornburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Huber and Billy, Iowa City, Mrs. Nell Johnson, Charles Bardwe of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morford, Mrs. Anna Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mullinnix and baby of Lone Tree and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mullinnix of River Junction and John Morford of Ottumwa.

George Westfall was surprised at his home Sunday by his children and families who gathered there in the morning and enjoyed the day together, it being his 70the birthday. All brought well filled baskets and dinner was served buffet style. These present were: Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Westfall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steyn Westfall and family of Conesville, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lenz of West Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harrison of Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson and two sons of Iowa City, Mrs. Elsie Stock and James, Mr. and Mrs. John Mullinnix and Donna, Lewis Westfall and George Westfall.

Mrs. Grace Price and daughter, Paul Herring and four children of West Liberty, Mrs. Mary Horning and two daughters, H. H. Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Miller and two children, Ralph Wescot, Velda Sibert, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moss and four children, Frank Poggenpohn of Iowa City, Mrs. Allen Finch and son of Bath, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kenney and four children of Riverside, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sanders and Marjorie enjoyed a picnic Sunday at the Jesse Sanders home near the Iowa river.

COLUMBUS JCT.

(Special) — Harry Marsden met with a painful accident last Friday when a wagon loaded with bundles ran over his foot. He was swinging on the side of the wagon helping to keep the load from tipping and swung too close to the rear wheel which passed over his foot.

Everett Johnson, a former Columbus Junction man was calling on old friends in town Saturday afternoon. Mr. Johnson is musical director for Schooley's Revue which played the Tri-State fair at Burlington this week.

The reunion of the Duncan family will be held in the chautauqua park Thursday, Aug. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Knott of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Knott, also with Mrs. Knott's father, Chet Stephens in Grandview.

L. R. Littrel received the sad news of the death of his brother H. Littrell who passed away Friday night at his home in Chicago. Death was due to a heart attack. Mr. Littrel formerly made his home in this community, going to Chicago a few years ago. He is survived by his wife and two daughters.

The Whatsoever society will meet Tuesday night, Aug. 18 in the church parlors with Myrtle Browning and Kate Hanft hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Igou and son Jimmie came from Iowa City Saturday evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mulhern.

Mrs. J. A. Hull who has been spending some time there with her daughter, has gone to Morning Sun to visit her son Albert Hull and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Blair spent Saturday evening in Muscatine.

BUFFALO PRAIRIE

BUFFALO PRAIRIE, Ill. —(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Sam McKay, Mr. and Mrs. John MaKay and daughter and James McKay Sr., of Gibson, Ia., visited over Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Manuel of Rock Island and Orville Stopes were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mungerson.

Harold Attig of Lynden is visiting relatives here this week.

Constance McFate is visiting this week in the home of her grandmother Mrs. Barbara Haney.

Mrs. Barbara Haney and Mrs. Ernest Haney and son Davy Lee were in Rock Island Monday.

Floyd Vetter was a Muscatine business caller Monday.

Rev. A. J. Rider conducted funeral services for Jerry Crumbly at Reynolds Tuesday afternoon.

The Elliott families are holding their annual picnic and reunion at Iowa City today, Wednesday.

SWEETLAND

SWEETLAND, Ia.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dowd and daughter Mrs. Sidney Young and baby Marylin of Ottumwa is spending the week at the home of Mrs. Dowd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Vilmont, daughters Fren and Marion, of West Liberty visited Friday at the Albey Paul home and was supper guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGilliray:

Mrs. Harry Limbacker and house guest, Mrs. Leslie Weisner and daughter of Wapello, Mrs. Fred Buser of Burlington and Mrs. Harry Wendel of Chicago, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pace.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fullerton visited at the home of Carl Griffin at Letts Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Downer spent Thursday at the J. T. Downer home.

Russell and Forest Bill left Monday for Davenport where they will exhibit their hogs at the Mississippi Valley fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paul of Pleasant Prairie visited Sunday afternoon with the latter's mother, Mrs. Addie Martin.

Victor Bill is spending several weeks at Sheffield, Ill., visiting relatives.

Mr and Mrs. J. T. Downer spent Sunday at the U. C. Lake home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGillwray son Donald, Mrs. Mary McGillwray were dinner guests Sunday at the G. B. Potter home.

Floyd Vetter was a Muscatine business caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson, daughter Sally, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Martin and daughter, Anna Mae, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Martin, Doris, Bonnie and Coral, Paul Uebe, Melvin Cooper went to Davenport Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner at the park.

Mrs. Guy Thomas son Richard, Gene Rodgers, Gordon Rogers of Muscatine spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drew Van Camp.

The Kramer family held a reunion and picnic dinner at Wild Cat Den Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Pashen daughter Gertrude of near Mason City. About 30 were in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schroeder of near Lime City were Sunday guests at the Edward Martz home. Miss Ruby Martz accompanied them home after a week's visit in Lime City with relatives.

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CLARENCE

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A. M.—
7:00—"Gene and Glenn."
7:15—Tom Waring and His Troubadours.
7:45—Musical Program.
8:00—Mrs Blake's Radio Column.
8:15—Three Little Maids.
8:30—Betty Crocker Program.
8:45—Institute of Business.
9:00—Opening Hog Flash and Market Reports.
9:15—Hawaiian Serenaders.
9:30—Sonata Recital.
9:45—Jimmy Horrabin, pianist.
10:00—Hellman Troubadour.
10:15—"The Shopping Basket."
10:30—Organ Program.
11:00—Weather Forecast and Market Reports.
11:15—Your Home and Mine.
11:30—Farm and Home Hour.
P. M.
12:30—Song Matinee.
12:55—Closing Market Reports.
1:00—Woman's Radio Review.
2:00—Instrumental Soloists.
2:15—Program of Music.
2:30—Affiliners.
3:00—Talk by Edgar R. Harlan.
3:30—Benjamin Moore Triangle.
3:45—Pianoland.
4:00—Hour of Music.
5:00—Kiddies Hour.
5:15—News Review.
5:30—Musical Musketeers.
5:45—Puzzle Man.
5:50—Baseball Scores Summary.
6:00—Concert Orchestra.
7:00—Musical Program.
7:30—Dance Orchestra.
8:00—Week End Hour.
8:30—RKO Hour.
9:00—Barbara Blackman, Soprano.
9:15—"The Stebbins Boys."
9:30—Monmouth College Cavaliers.
10:00—Weather Forecast.
10:00—Bill Donahue and his Orchestra.
10:30—Palais D'Or Orchestra.

KYW

1020 Kc.—CHICAGO—294 M.
(Daylight Savings Time)

A. M.
7:00—Musical Clock.
9:00—Mrs. Blake's Column.
9:15—Dance Miniatures.
9:30—National Home Hour.
9:45—Studio Music.
10:00—Time.
10:01—Opening stocks.
10:30—U. S. Marine Band.
11:00—Bernice Yanacek, pianist.
11:15—Prudence Penny.
11:30—Organ Melodies.
12:00—Canton Tea Garden Orchestra.
P. M.
12:15—Montgomery Ward.
12:30—Farm and Home Hour.
1:30—Terrace Garden Orchestra.
2:00—Women's Review.
2:00—Rex Maupin Aces of the Air.
3:25—Rex Maupin Aces of the Air.
4:00—Sports; Race Results.
4:15—Fred Rose at the Piano.
4:30—Benjamin Moore.
4:45—Rex Maupin Aces of the Air.
5:00—Mel Stitzel at the Piano.
5:15—Hal Kemp's Orchestra.
5:30—Uncle Bob.
6:00—Canton Tea Garden Orchestra.
6:25—Sports Reporter.
6:30—Terrace Garden Orchestra.
6:45—Chieftains.
7:00—Concert.
8:00—Time Signal.
8:00—Pair.
8:30—Concert.
9:00—Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.
9:30—Terrace Garden Orchestra.
9:45—Waves and Melodies.
10:00—Sports Reporter.
10:05—The Globe Trotter.
10:10—"State Street Tomorrow."
10:30—Canton Garden Orchestra.
10:57—Public Service Period.
11:00—Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.
11:30—Terrace Garden Orchestra.
12:00—Canton Tea Garden Orchestra.
12:30—Congress Hotel Orchestra.

WMAQ

670 Kc.—CHICAGO—447.5 M.
(Daylight Savings Time)

A. M.
6:00—Musical Hodge Podge.
6:30—Y M C A Setting-Up Exercises.
7:30—Morning Worship.
7:45—Y M C A Setting-Up Exercises.
8:00—Time Signal.
8:02—University of Chicago Program.
8:50—The Question Box Man.
9:00—University of Chicago.
9:30—Musical Hodge Podge.
9:35—Radio Service.
9:50—Musical Hodge Podge.
10:00—Dan and Sylvia.
10:15—Hostess of the Air.
10:40—Musical Hodge Podge.
10:50—Social Amenities.
11:00—Woman's Calendar.
11:33—Market Service.
11:38—Whitney Trio.
11:45—Fashion Parade.
P. M.—
12:10—Noontime Melodies.
12:33—News Flashes.
12:45—Farmer Rusk.
1:30—Whitney Trio.
1:50—Evanston Cradle Talk.
2:00—Salon Orchestra.
2:30—Marion and Jim.
2:55—BASEBALL BROADCAST: Chicago Sox vs. Philadelphia.
5:00—Topsy Turvy Time.
6:30—Pianoland, Joe Rudolph.
6:00—Skippy.
6:15—Princess Pat.
6:20—Smack Out.
6:30—Sports.
6:45—Quarter Hour.
7:00—University of Chicago Organ.
7:15—Barber Shop Quartette.
7:30—Harold Van Horne, pianist.
7:45—News of the Air.
8:00—Hour.
8:45—Boswell Sisters.
9:00—Pageant.
9:30—Musical Program.
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15—Pryor's Band.
10:30—Dan and Sylvia.
10:40—Time Signal.
10:46—Via Lago and Uptown Villege Orchestras (3 hrs).

WENR

870 Kc.—CHICAGO—345 M.
(Daylight Savings Time)

A. M.—
10:15—Morning Serenaders.
10:30—Sonata Recital.
11:00—Troubador.
11:15—Pat Barnes in Person.
11:30—Home Service—Anna J. Peterson.
11:45—Sign off for WLS.
P. M.—
3:30—BASEBALL BROADCAST.
5:15—Black and Gold Orchestra.
5:30—Air Juniors.
5:45—Hawaiian Melodies.
6:00—Major Bowes Family.
6:30—Phil Cook.
6:45—Trials of the Goldbergs.
7:00—Sign off for WLS.
8:30—Leo Reisman's Orchestra.
9:00—Week End Program.
9:30—Theatre of the Air.
10:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15—Lowell Thomas.
10:30—Lew White, organist.
11:00—Russ Colombo.
11:15—Cotton Club Revue.
11:30—Henry Busse's Orchestra.
12:00—Hotel LaSalle Orchestra.
12:30—Terrace Gardens Orchestra.
1:00—Sign off.

WLS

870 Kc.—CHICAGO—345 M
(Daylight Savings Time)

A. M.
6:00—Smile a While Time.
6:30—Family.
7:00—Trading Post.
7:10—Wool Market.
7:15—Ralph and Hal "Old Timers."
7:30—"Breakfast Brigade — Gospel Tabernacle.
8:00—Ralph Emerson — Popular Melodies
8:15—Steamboat Bill.
8:30—Ralph Emerson at the organ.
8:45—News Flashes.
8:50—"Bill and Ralph—Book Shop."
9:00—Ray Perkins.
9:15—Weather; hog flash.
9:30—Tower Topics (Anne & Sue).
9:50—Hugh Cross.
10:00—Livestock, Poultry, Markets.
10:15—Sign Off.
11:45—Jesters.
12:00—Town Crier Cooking School.
P. M.
12:15—Paul Rader Gospel Tabernacle.
12:30—Dinnerbell program. Concert Orchestra—Theo. DuMoulin, soloist.
12:45—Livestock Markets.
1:00—News Flashes.
1:00—Dinnerbell program (con't.)
1:20—Grain Market—Weather report.
1:20—GrainHshrdl u shrdl up up up uu
1:30—"Lacon, Ill. Centennial" by C. F. Buck, Lacon, Ill. Melody Men and "Old Pappy."
2:00—Ball Bros. Canning Time.
2:15—Market Matinee— Rangers —John Brown and "Old Pappy"
2:45—BASEBALL GAME.
3:30—Sign Off.
7:00—Program.
7:30—Black's Orchestra.
7:45—"Sisters of the Skillet."
8:00—Musical Varieties.
8:30—Sign Off.

WBBM

770 Kc.—CHICAGO—389.4 M.
(Daylight Savings Time)

P. M.
6:55—Farm Information.
7:00—Musical Time Saver.
7:45—Rogers Musical.
8:15—The Commuters.
8:30—Fur Fashion Parade.
9:15—Barton Organ.
9:30—Beauty Chat.
9:45—Madison Singers.
10:00—Household Hints.
10:15—Rhythm Kings.
10:45—Program.
11:00—Home Modernizers.
11:15—Mike and Herman.
11:30—Beauty Chat.
11:45—News Flashes.
P. M.
12:30—Henri Gendron's Orchestra.
1:00 to 2:00—FARM COMMUNITY NETWORK.
1:00—Varieties.
1:15—Lovable Liars.
1:30—Local Produce Markets.
1:35—Poet's Hour.
1:45—Henri Gendron's Orchestra.
2:00—Beauty Chat.
2:15—News Flashes.
2:30—Chicago Hour of Music.
2:50—BASEBALL BROADCAST:
4:45—Howard Neumiller, pianist.
5:00—Children's Program.
5:15—Puzzle Man.
5:20—News Flashes.
5:30—Program.
5:45—Cookies Program.
6:00—Sports Review.
6:15—Dennis King; Limit Orchestra.
6:30—Henri Gendron's Orchestra.
6:45—Capt. Jimmy Thompson.
7:00—Henri Gendron's Orchestra.
7:15—Mike and Herman.
7:30—Lewissohn Stadium.
8:00—Benny Meroff's Orchestra.
8:30—Mystery Drama.
9:00—Four Pianos.
9:30—Od and Ol.
9:45—Hollywood Romances.
10:00—Off the Air Until 12:00.
12:00—AROUND THE TOWN with Bobby Meeker's Orchestra. Henri Gendron's Orchestra. Benny Meroff's Orchestra.

STOCKTON

STOCKTON, Ia.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Dietz and daughters of Davenport, were visitors Monday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Riessen, and family.

The threshing crew south of town of which Edwin and Walter Schlapkohl are the proprietors, held its annual picnic at Weeds park. Ice cream and cake were served during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dahms and family of Dixon, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sindt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earenst Miller were visitors Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Riessen and family.

Mr. Paul Riessen, daughter, Lorene and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mealhouse from Hartley, Ia., and Eddie Dittmer of Davenport were all day viistors Thursday at the James Riessen home.

Mrs. Gertrude Wulf, William Wulf, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schnoor attended the Wulf family reunion which was held at Lake Hurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schlapkohl, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nitz, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Paulsen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paulsen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Paustian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paustian and daughter attended the Paustian family reunion held at Rhoelks hall at Maysville.

Death Claims Mother of Senator and Governor



(Acme Photo)

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Mrs. Belle Case La Follette, "The Counselor" of one of America's foremost political families, died here on Tuesday, Aug. 18, as she had lived, in the background of her famous menfolks. Both sons—the senator and Gov. Philip La Follette of Wisconsin—were present at her bedside when the end came.

Mrs. La Follette was born in a log cabin in Summit, Juneau county, Wis., on April 21, 1859. She and Senator La Follette met at the University of Wisconsin and they were married on Dec. 31, 1881.

MORNING SUN

MORNING SUN, Ia—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hutcheson entertained with a dinner Monday evening, honor of Thomas Hutcheson, of Sterling, Kans. Those sharing in the courtesy were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutcheson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutcheson and daughter Ila, Oliver Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson.

Friends here of Mrs. C. H. Park, 1149 Parkwood, Cleveland, Ohio, will remember her with a shower of post cards and letters of greetings on her 80th birthday, Sept. 5, Mrs. Marks is the widow of the Rev. R. H. Parks, former pastor of the local United Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Sarah Dickson and son Robert and daughter, Mary, and Miss Jessie Moore left Tuesday for a visit with friends and relatives at Blanchard, Iowa.

Mrs. George McGinnis, Evelyn, Junior and Delbert are spending this week with Mrs. McGinnis's sister, Mrs. Palmer Wilson at Dallas Center.

Mrs. R. M. Braid left Saturday for Griffith, Ind., for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Paul and family.

Mrs. Eva Barrick reutrned Sunday from a visit with her son Roland and family at Wapello.

Miss Nellie Kilpatrick entertained a company of 20 at a dinner at her home Tuesday complimentary to Mrs. Wilbur Kilpatrick and daughter, Betty, Willis Hudson, of Araphoe, Nebr., and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hansberry, and daughter Peggy, of Ellwood, Nebr.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wylie and son Frank, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Dale and Wendell, Homer Ringo, Martin and Donald Burkett, and Robert Armstrong, composed a fishing party Tuesday at Longcreek.

Fred Taylor shipped a load of hogs Tuesday. A load of sheep and a load of cattle were shipped by the shipping association from this place the same day.

The executive board of the local Methodist met Monday in the church parlors. The quarterly statements were prepared and general business taken care of.

E. A. Mellinger, of London, England, left Tuesday for Chicago, having visited since Saturday with his sisters Mrs. Maude Mehaffy and Mrs. O. M. Hensleigh, of this place. Mr. Mellinger expects to spend several weeks in the states, and will probably return to England later in the fall.

Carl Samuels living north of town has been suffering from a badly infected finger.

Mrs. Delia Copeland of this place, who underwent a very serious operation in the Burlington hospital Saturday, is reported to be doing favorably.

STOCKTON

STOCKTON, Ia.—(Special)—The Stockton Farmers Union held its annual picnic at Credit island. A dinner and ice cream and cake were served during the afternoon.

The following were in attendance: Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Belter, Mr. and Mrs. William Schlapkohl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Broders and son Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. John Nielsen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johansen, son Billy and daughter Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Colberg, daughter Hazel and son Earnest, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Paulsen and children, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hering and daughters, Caroline, Norma and Elna, Mrs. Gertrude Wulf, William Wulf, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krebs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Siebke and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Broders.

Five hundred was played during the afternoon. Prizes were won by Mesdames Alvina Johannsen, Ella Broder, Malinda Paulson, Ara Colberg and Misses Clarence Broders, Albert Siebke, Earnest Colberg and William Schlapkohl.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Riessen entertained 40 relatives and friends to honor Mrs. Riessen's sister, Miss Lenora Riessen of Davenport, who celebrated her birthday. Five hundred was played at eight tables, honors going to Misses Alice Dietz, Elna Heiken, Irene Moeller, Verna Hering, Evelyn Riessen, El Verna Riessen, Dorothy Lilenthal and Florence Wathan.

Following the game luncheon was served by Mesdames Elmer Riessen, Anna Riessen and Henry Nitz. The guest of honor received many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nielsen entertained 60 relatives and friends at their home Wednesday evening to honor Rudolph Rumers who celebrated his 21st birthday anniversary. Ten tables of 500 was surrounded, honors in the game went to Mesdames Anna Miller, Clara Schroeder, Peter Peters, Theodore Loppentien, Mess'rs Peter Peters, Harvey Paulsen, William Griebel, Harry Riemers, Albert Riemers and draw prize to Elmer Best.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

GLADWIN

GLADWIN, Ia.—(Special)—Miss Velma Whitaker has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitaker.

Miss Madeline Daxon from Rock Island is viisting at the home of Miss Winifred Lamb.

Mr. Leonard Martin and family are visiting Mrs. Stella Forbes and Mrs. William Keel.

Mr. Jack Crabbtree and grandson, Glen O'Brien have moved into the residence of Mrs. Anna Strong.

Miss Erma Hall of Lone Tree called on Miss Dorothy Blair Monday.

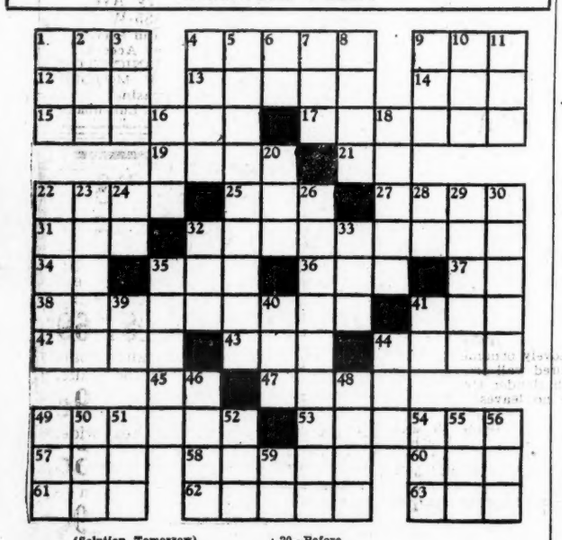
Mr and Mrs W. H. Blair entertained relatives from Davenport Wednesday.

Miss Clara Waddell is visiting friends in Davenport this month.

Many of our friends were seen at the rodeo in Iowa City Sunday from this neighborhood.

Lee Edwards and Clarence Lamb bailed straw Tuesday and Wednesday.

Crossword Puzzle



(Solution Tomorrow)

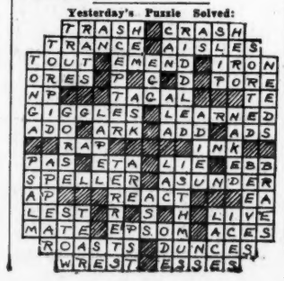
Horizontal

1—Devoured
4—To adjust
9—Germ
12—The sun
13—Ceremonies
14—Meadow
15—Land forces
17—Sea forces
19—Point of land
21—Ancestor of Pharaohs
22—A fruit
25—To prepare for battle.
27—The moon
31—Self
32—Valuable possessions
34—Comparative ending
35—Afternoon party
36—To unite
37—Because
38—Pastries
41—Prefix: before
42—Prophet
43—To mistake
44—Roll
45—Latin for and
47—Refined
49—One of the Central United States
53—Sharp
57—Anger
58—A kind of silk
60—To plant
61—Golfer's mound
62—Eaten away
63—Organ of head

Vertical

1—Man's name
2—Jutting rock
3—Shade tree
4—Extent
5—To belittle
6—By
7—Writing instrument
8—Russian ruler
9—Man's name
10—Turn to the right
11—Aeriform fluid
16—To cool
18—Worth
20—Before
22—Judges
23—To accede
24—Toward
26—Component parts
28—Abraham's birthplace
29—Approaches
30—Item of available property
32—A number
33—Nickname for sister
35—Grows weary
39—Prefix: again
40—Vase
41—Philippine Islands
44—A limb
46—Story
48—North American Indian
49—An outfit
50—Exist
51—Born
52—Address of respect
54—To employ
55—Plaything
56—Female sheep
59—Therefore

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



"KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES"

Eddie's Feeling Much Worse

By POP MOMAND



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A Break For Rose!

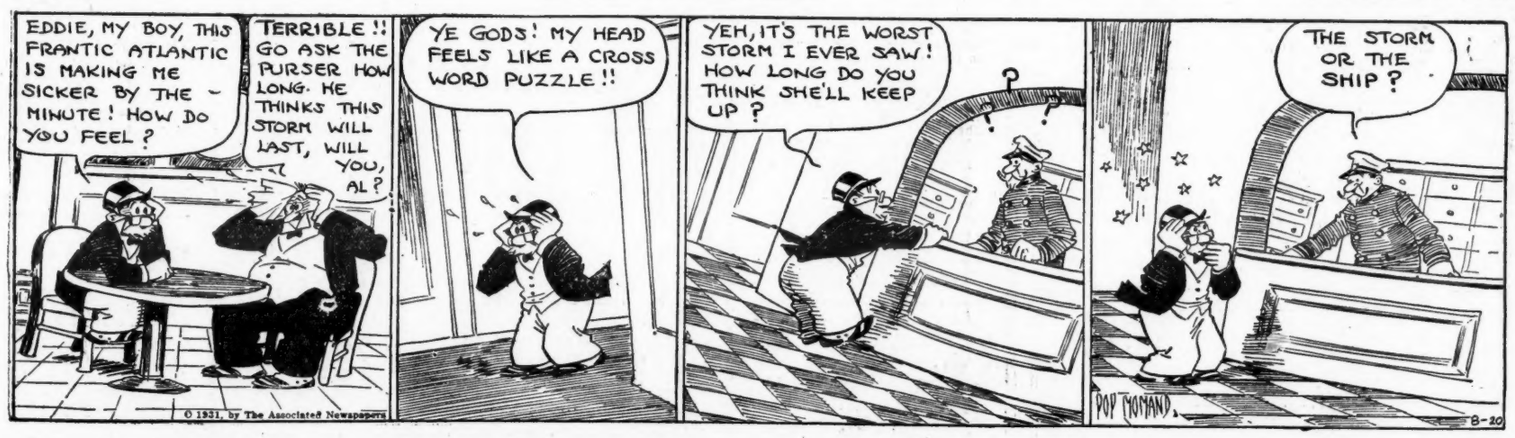
By A. W. BREWERTON



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Complete Market Reports

GRAINS CLOSE TRIFLE FIRMER IN CHICAGO PIT

Wheat Climbs Higher As Corn and Oats Follow Suit

CHICAGO—(INS)—Grains closed firmer on the Chicago board of trade today.

Wheat finished ½ to ⅝c higher, corn ⅛ to ⅜c up and oats steady to ½c better. Rye was ¼ to ⅜c higher.

September and March corn dipped to new lows for the crop on scattered liquidation during the session, but encountered good support on the break and rallied to close higher.

Wheat held within a narrow range during the day, but the undertone was strong.

Substantial gains were recorded by local wheat prices during early trading as scattered buying developed an offset selling on heavy Russian shipments this week. Firmness in Liverpool, unfavorable weather in sections of Europe and a bullish crop estimate were strengthening factors in the Chicago market.

Broomhall, English crop statistician, estimated the French crop at 256,000,000 bushels, a reduction of about 25,000,000 bushels from his previous report. Russian shipments for the week were placed at 4,472,000 bushels.

The Liverpool wheat market opened ½ to ¼c off, but later was ⅛ to ⅜c higher.

Corn displayed firmness led by September. Short covering was fairly active in this pit and September easily moved up 1c. The weather map showed scattered showers over parts of the belt.

Oats and rye forged ahead with the general ist.

Estimated carlot receipts were: wheat 157, corn 91 and oats 73.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO—(INS)—Cash grain close:

WHEAT—No. 2 red .49¾; 3 red .49@49¼; 4 red .47½; 1 hard .50@51; 2 hard .49¾@.50; 3 hard .49@49¼; 1 northern spring .82½; 2 northern spring .50¾; 2 mixed 49½; 3 mixed .48½@49; 1 yellow .49¾; 2 yellow .49½@¾; 3 yellow .48¼@.49; 4 yellow .47¾.

CORN—No. 1 mixed .46; 2 mixed .48¾@½; 1 yellow .48¾@46½; 2 yellow .45½@46½; 3 yellow .45@45¾; 4 yellow .44½@43½; 2 white .47½@48½; 6 white .43½; sample grade .38.

OATS—No. 3 white .23; new: 3, white .21@21½; 3 white .19¼@21½; 4 white .19@19½; sample grade .17.

RYE—No. 3, .37.

BARLEY—.33@50.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK—(INS)—Thursday's closing New York stock prices:

Allegheney Corporation	6½
Allied Chemical & Dye	115½
Allis Chalmers	24½
American Can	94⅝
American & Foreign Power	29¾
American Power & Light	36¾
American Locomotive	18¾
American Smelting	30⅞
American Sugar Refining	56
American Tele & Tele	175¾
American Tobacco "B"	117½
American Water Works	48½
American Woolen	8½
Anaconda Copper	24¾
Atlanta & Santa Fe	140
Atlantic Refining	17¾
Auburn Automobile	138¾
Baldwin Locomotive	13½
Baltimore & Ohio	47
Bendix Aviation	22
Brockaway Motors	2½
Canadian Pacific	22¾
Case Threshing Machine	66¾
Chicago & Omaha	26½
Chicago Great Western	6
Chicago & Northwestern	26
Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul	4¾
Do pfd	7¾
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific	37
Chrysler Motors	23
Coca Cola	146¾
Colorado Gas & Electric	30⅝
Consolidated Gas	95¾
Crucible Steel	39¾
Drug Incorporated	74½
Dupont de Nemmors	86½
Erie Railroad	18½
Freeport Texas Oil	37¾
General Asphalt	23¾
General Electric	41⅞
General Motors	36⅞
General Foods	51
Goodrich Rubber	13¾
Gillette	20¼
Great Northern Railroad pfd	36¼
Hudson Motors	7
Indiana Refining	27⅛
International Harvester	38¼
International Nickel	13¼
Johns Manville	52½
Kennecott Copper	17⅝
Kresge Stores	28¾
Liggett & Myers	69¼
Mack Truck	29½
Mid Continental Petroleum	11
Missouri Pacific	19¼
Montgomery Ward	21½
National Biscuit Co.	59¾
Nash Motors	25¾
National Dairy	34⅝
National Power & Light	25¼
Nevada Construction	8⅜
New York Central	71⅞
New York New Hartford & Hart	87
Norfolk Pacific	33⅜
Otis Steel	8
Packard Motors	6⅞
Paramount Famous Lasky	24¼
Pennsylvania Railroad	40
Peoples Gas	196½
Phillips Petroleum	10
Public Service of New Jersey	81¼
Pure Oil	9½
Radio Corporation	20¾
R K O	14¾
Real Silk	6½
Remington Rand	7⅝
Republic Steel	13½
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	49½
Royal Dutch	26⅜
Seaboard Air Lines	⅝
Sears Roebuck	57
Shell Union	6¼
Simms Petroleum	9½
Simms Co.	15¾
Sinclair Oil	12
Southern Pacific RR	75
Standard Brands	19
Standard of California	41⅝
Do New Jersey	41½
Stewart Warner	11⅜
Studebaker Motors	17
Texas Co.	37¼
Timken Rollerbearings	32½
Union Carbide	51¼
Union Pacific	144¾
United Carbon	15½
United Corporation	22⅞
U S Industrial Alcohol	34½
U S Rubber	13⅞
U S Steel	90¼
Do pfd	137½
Utilities Power & Light	22¾
Vanadium Steel	28
Wabash Railroad	9½
Western Union	118½
Westinghouse Electric	65
White Motors	15
Willys Overland	3¾
Yellow Truck	7½

CHICAGO STOCKS

Art Metal Works	5¼
Borg Warner	19¼
Cord Corporation	8
Commonwealth Ed	109¼
Grigsby Grunow	3¼
Insul Utilities	27¾
Lion Oil	5½
Missouri Kansas Pipeline	4¾
Morgan Lithograph	2
Pines Winterfront	13¾
Steinite Radio	⅛
Swift & Co.	25¾
Swift International	33¾
U S Gypsum	37½
U S Radio & Television	32
Utilities Industrial Corp.	6

Representative Livestock Sales

CHICAGO—(INS)—Representative livestock sales today included:

No.	Wt.	Price	No.	Wt.	Price
		LIGHT HOGS			
84	165	$6.75	56	170	$6.80
58	172	6.85	60	175	6.90
62	177	6.95	63	179	7.00
66	184	7.05	68	186	7.10
68	190	7.15	70	193	7.20
73	195	7.25	75	190	7.30
		HEAVY			
46	330	5.80	47	324	5.90
50	320	6.00	52	312	6.10
54	300	6.20	56	290	6.30
58	284	6.40	60	280	6.50
62	274	6.60	64	262	6.70
62	270	6.80	60	265	6.85
		MIXED AND BUTCHERS			
52	244	6.75	54	240	6.80
56	236	6.85	58	233	6.90
60	230	6.95	62	226	7.00
64	220	7.05	66	222	7.10
67	214	7.15	72	211	7.20
74	208	7.25	77	202	7.30
		STEERS			
24	1052	6.50	20	1068	7.50
19	1040	8.00	22	1126	8.50
24	1107	9.00	16	1563	9.50
47	1341	10.00	30	911	10.25
		COWS			
8	984	3.50	9	1036	3.75
10	930	4.00	16	967	4.50
12	1080	5.00	10	1146	5.25
11	1174	5.50	12	1168	5.75
		HEIFERS			
9	887	6.50	11	862	7.00
10	845	7.50	12	822	8.00
15	726	8.50	40	645	9.00
29	925	9.25	20	685	9.50
		FEEDERS			
19	607	4.50	22	646	4.75
24	662	5.00	25	684	5.25
28	712	5.50	30	726	6.00
29	814	6.25	32	796	6.50

Hog Receipts

CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO—(INS)—A supply of 19,000 hogs today, supplemented with 7,000 held over from Wednesday sold steady to strong. Best light quoted at $7.30 and the choicest heavy at $6.85.

Cattle receipts were 7,000. Prices were steady to strong for the good to choice steers that were listed at $8 to $10.25. Cows and heifers were steady; steckers and feeders $4.50 to $7.25.

Receipts of sheep were 16,000. The market was reported steady with good to choice lambs at $7.25 to $8.00.

HOGS—Receipts 19,000; 10c higher; top $7.35; bulk $5.60@7.20; heavy $5.50@5.75; medium $6.80@7.35; light $6.75@7.35; light lights $6.65@7.35; packing sows $4.00@5.50; pigs $5.50@6.75; holdovers $7,000.

CATTLE—Receipts 7,000; steady; calves 2,000; steady; beef steers, good and choice $8.00@9.75; common and medium $6@8; yearlings $9.00@10.25; butcher cattle; heifers $4.50@9.50; cows $3@6; bulls $3.50@5.50; calves $6.50@9.50; feeder steers $4.50@7.25; stocker steers $4.50@7.00; stocker cows and heifers $3.50@5.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 16,000; steady; lambs, $7.35@8.00; common $4@5; yearlings $5.00@6.25; feeders $4.50@5.50; ewes $1.00@3.25.

HOG RECEIPTS

DES MOINES, Iowa—(INS)—(U. S. D. A.)—Combined hog receipts at 22 concentration yards and 7 packing plants located in interior Iowa and southern Minnesota for the 24-hour period ended at 8:00 a. m. today were 10,900 compared with 10,200 a week ago.

Marketing light in most sections and prices generally steady, spots strong to 10c higher, some weighty butchers in instances up more; inquiry in some localities to sell light hogs quite liberal; most packer buyers apparently indifferent.

Quotations follow: light lights good and choice 140-160, $5.50@6.35; light weights good and choice 160-180, $6.00@6.60; 180-200, $6.15@6.65; medium weights good and choice 200-220, $6.15@6.65; 220-250, $5.90@6.50; heavy weights good and choice 250-290, $5.30@6.30; 290-350, $4.70@5.60; packing sows good 275-350, $4.10@4.60; 350-425, $3.60@4.30; 425-500, $3.25@3.60.

The above quotations are based on bulk transactions. Long haul shipments showing excessive weight shrinkage and hogs excessively filled usually sell respectively somewhat above and below prices quoted. Hogs bought on the basis of shipping point weights are also excluded from quotations

Livestock

RECEIPTS AT 12 MARKETS

CHICAGO—(INS)—Estimated livestock receipts at twelve markets today were:

Markets	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Chicago	7,000	19,000	16,000
Kansas City	3,500	2,000	6,000
Omaha	5,500	6,000	15,000
E. St. Louis	1,800	6,000	1,500
St. Joseph	2,100	2,500	3,500
Sioux City	2,500	3,000	3,000
St. Paul	2,100	6,000	11,000
Indianapolis	800	4,000	1,000
Cleveland	400	700	800
Pittsburgh	——	800	1,000
Buffalo	100	1,900	700
Cincinnati	500	1,900	1,700
Totals	26,300	54,800	61,200
Week ago	22,100	57,800	72,500
Year ago	23,100	74,700	73,300

SIOUX CITY MARKET

HOGS—Receipts 3,000; 10@25c higher; range $4.00@6.80; bulk $4.40@6.75; lights and medium $6.25@6.80; strong weight to heavy $5.00@6.25; thin and mixed $5@6; sows $4.00@5.15.

CATTLE—Receipts 2,000; steady to strong; steers and yearlings $6.50@10.00; cows and heifers $4.00@9.25; grass beef steers $4.50@7.75; grass heifers $4@7; grass cows $3.00@4.50; canners and cutters $1.50@2.75; veals $4.00@7.50; bulls $3.00@4.25; stockers and feeders $4@7; stock cows and heifers $2@6.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,000; steady; top lambs $7.25; ewes $2.00; feeding lambs $5.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—(INS)—Livestock:

CATTLE—Receipts 1,800; calves 800; generally steady; steers $9.25; Texas grass steers $4.65; mixed yearlings and heifers $9.25; cows $3.25@4.25; cutters $1.50@2.25; bulls downward from $3.75; good and choice vealers $9.25.

HOGS—Receipts 6,000; market slow, steady to strong; top $7.15; sows $4.00@4.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 1,500; market steady; desirable lambs to packers $7.00@7.25; few to city butchers $7.50; buck lambs $6.00@6.25; common throwouts mostly $3.50; ewes scarce, $2.50 down.

OMAHA MARKET

SOUTH OMAHA—(INS)—Livestock:

HOGS—Receipts 6,000; 10@15c higher; top $6.80; 180-210 lbs. $6.50@6.80; 210-250 lbs., $5.85@6.75; sows $4.25@5.10; stags $4.00@4.75; feeder pigs $5.50@6.00; average cost Wednesday $5.58; weight 262 lbs.

CATTLE—Receipts 5,800; steady to weak; steers and yearlings $7.75@9.50; heifers $7.75@9.00; cows $3.25@4.50; cutters $2.00@2.75; medium bulls $3.00@3.50; top vealers 7.

SHEEP—Receipts 15,000; strong to 25c higher; lambs $7.00@7.50; natives $7.25@7.50; ewes $2.00; feeding lambs $5.00@5.50.

ST. JOSEPH MARKET

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH—(INS)—Livestock:

HOGS—Receipts 2,500; weak to 10c lower; top $6.80; 170-220 lbs., $6.65@6.75; sows $3.75@4.75.

CATTLE—Receipts 2,100; calves 300; steady to 25c higher; steers and yearlings $9.35@9.75; heifers $9.00; cows $3.25@4.25; cutters $2@3; bulls $3.25; top veals $7.50; stockers and feeders $5.00@6.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,500; steady to strong; lambs $7.50; natives $7.25.

Local Markets

HOGS

The following prices are furnished by the John P. Squire company stockyards.

Truck prices of hogs 150 to 220 pounds. $6.75@6.85 in hundred pounds; 220 to 260 pounds $6.40@6.55; 260-300 pounds $6.50@6.20; extreme heavy butchers $4.50@5.50; butcher packers $3.90@4.50; heavy packers $2.95@3.90; top $6.85; railroad car prices at 20 cents per hundred higher.

Poultry and Eggs

Eggs are bringing 16 cents a dozen according to Kautz's Produce market.

Heavy hens selling at 14 cents a pound; Leghorn and light hens 9 cents; heavy roosters, 7 cents; Leghorn roosters 6 cents.

Cream at 27 cents a pound.

INVESTMENT TRUSTS

NEW YORK—(INS)—Investment trusts:

Northern Trust Shares	4⅞	4⅞
North American Trust	4½	5
Standard American Trust	5¾	6¼
U S El & Pow A	28¾	30¾
Do B	6½	7

NEW YORK CURB

Cities Service	11
Standard Oil of Indiana	36¾

Chicago Northwest Wheat Receipts

CHICAGO—(INS)—Chicago and Northwest wheat receipts:

	Today	Last Week
Duluth	124	56
Minneapolis	122	105
Chicago	114	188
Totals	360	349
Receipts and Shipments		
CHICAGO:		
Corn	72	33
Wheat	142	72
Oats	176	310
Flour	31	38
MINNEAPOLIS—		
Wheat	122	188
Corn	20	30
Oats	9	44
Flour Bbls	0	38,040
ST. LOUIS—		
Wheat	174	130
Corn	92	36
Oats	46	11
Flour	17	13
KANSAS CITY—		
Wheat	853	573
Corn	62	36
Oats	14	0
Flour Cars	0	54

Grain Table

CHICAGO—(INS)—Grain table:

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Sept.	49¼	49½	49	49⅜@½
Dec.	53	53½	53	53⅜@½
March	56¼	56½	56	56¼
May	58½	58½	57½	58¼@⅜
CORN—				
Sept.	43@43½	44	42⅜	43@43¼
Dec.	38⅝@½	38⅞	38½	38⅝@¾
March	41½	41⅝	40⅞	41⅜
May	43	43⅛	42¾	43⅛@¾
OATS—				
Sept.	20½	20⅝	20¼	20¼
Dec.	22⅜	22½	22½	22¼@⅜
March	23½	24	23¾	23⅞
May	24⅞	25¼	24⅞	25⅛
RYE—				
Sept.	33¾	34⅜	33¾	34
Dec.	37½	37⅝	37½	37⅝
March	40¼	40¾	40½	40⅝
May	41½	41⅞	41½	41½

Produce

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO—(INS)—Produce:

BUTTER—Receipts 6,042 tubs; creamery extras .27¾; standards .28; extra firsts, .26@27; firsts .24@25; packing stock .13@14; specials .28¼@¾.

EGGS—Receipts 6,746 cases; ordinary current receipts .14@16; graded firsts .18; extra firsts .19@19½; dirties .10@13; checks .10@11.

CHEESE—Young Americas and Longhorns .15; twins .14½@¾; daisies .14¾@15; double daisies .14½@¾; prints .15½@½; brick .14½@¾.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys .18; old .15; No. 2, .13; hens .21; No. 2, .10@15½; Leghorn hens .14; spring chickens 3 lbs. and over .22; No. 2, .15; ducks 4 lbs. and over .15; roosters .13½; No. 2, .08; Leghorn roosters .12; geese .09; spring geese .13.

POTATOES—Receipts 77 cars; on track 234; U. S. shipments 559; Wisconsin sacked cobblers $1.20@1.30; poor stock $1.00; Wisconsin sacked Triumphs $1.25@1.35; Missouri cobblers .90@$1.10; Idaho sacked Russets No. 1 large $1.90; medium $1.70; Idaho Triumphs $1.50@1.65; Utah Triumphs $1.25@1.35.

NEW YORK PRODUCE

NEW YORK—(INS)—Produce:

BUTTER—Market steady; salted and unsalted—creamery higher scoring .30@32½; extras .29½@31½; firsts .26@28; renovated extras .25@25½; ladles, fresh, extras .22@22½.

5,000 PERSONS HEAR N. BAKER FLAY FLETCHER

Publisher Also Tells Audience of Other State Officers

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but if he does not, the cards are so stacked that one of his assistants will bob up.

"As fast as one of his assistants bob up, it is your duty to suffering humanity, to your dear mother, father, wife, son or daughter, to knock them down with your vote. I have said that to nearly two hundred thousand people I have talked to at my meetings during the past two months and judging from the applause received, I don't believe either John Fletcher or Gerald Blake have many friends, at least not in eastern Iowa."

Mr. Baker spoke of other Iowa officials and urged his audience to investigate the past records of any candidate before casting their votes for them.

"When it comes to voting for your next governor," he said, "No matter who it is, for goodness sake make him raise his right hand and take an oath that he will not call out the state militia to shoot down good German farmers simply because they object to some state veternarian coming along and raising their cow's tail to give them a shot of serum, calling it a test for T. B. when they admit the test is not infallible,— possibly having the farmer shot down by state troops merely because he says he wants the milk of his cows tested instead of the cow's tail.

Turner Disgraced Iowa

"It's a crime, a stain and a disgrace to the state of Iowa, put there by Dan Turner, your present governor, when the troops were ordered to mobolize and get ready to march down on the farmers of Cedar county. We have been disgraced in the eyes of every state in the union —before one hundred and twenty million people," Mr. Baker declared.

"Yes," he said, "Dan Turner is original. He is the first governor in the United States that I recall who called out soldiers against farmers. Vote for him again if that is the kind of treatment you want."

Mr. Baker continued his address by declaring he is more interested in the fight for farmers to be placed under one leadership than anything else and that right now there is a crying need for leadership and if the time comes when it becomes necessary, and he is called, he will sacrifice his personal business interests to lead the farmers in their fight for justice.

Hoodwinked 46 Years

The speaker said that newspapers, which are controlled by the capitalistic group would oppose any man who would aspire to office if that man would not be in favor of Wall Street. He claimed that farmers of Iowa had been hoodwinked by the politicians for the past 46 years and 1932 would be a golden opportunity for them to elect men to office who are worthy of farmers' support. Mr. Baker warned his hearers against the famous "back slappers and hand shakers," who came around before election and after being voted into office, turn cold shoulders to the farmers and their problems. As an example of this type he cited Dan Turner, the present governor, and told of his stand against the farmers of Cedar county in their fight against the T. B. test law.

Great interest was manifested by the mixed crowd of city residents and farmers when Mr. Baker stated that if elected he would bring about conditions in Des Moines to put the state business on a more economical basis and save the tax payers of Iowa many thousands of dollars annually. He said that if elected he would clean house and that he would not be controlled by any political bosses or factions. These remarks were greeted by thunderous applause.

To Keep Up Fight

Mr. Baker said that in any event he intended to keep up the fight to gain justice to the farmer and that although radio station K-TNT was closed, it did not stop the program which was started there, as the Midwest Free Press was fast growing and would soon be a power that would receive recognition. When that day comes the farmers' voice would be heard all over the state of Iowa, he said.

J. W. Lenker, of Wilton, "the fighting Dutchman of Cedar county," spoke during the afternoon.

During the afternoon and evening vaudeville numbers were offered by local talent and the "K-TNT Kids."

This afternoon Mr. Baker is scheduled to deliver an address at Mt. Pleasant when an all day community picnic will be held at Saunder's grove.

Saturday evening he will speak at Wellman, Ia. He is scheduled to commence his address at 8 p. m. The Wellman editor is especially invited to be present.

SPENCER TO GET 1932 SESSIONS

Ackley Mayor Heads Iowa League of Municipalities

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session. Rockwell has made a study of taxing peddlers and solicitors, and went into detail relating the injustice which these fly-by-night peddlers wreak on the various communities. He said these men come one day, go the next, pay no taxes and care nothing about the welfare of the city.

He advised cities of one of the best ways, he said, to handicap the peddler-solicitor group. He suggested requiring that each one furnish a photograph, health certificates, and finger prints, and then be charged as high a fee as is regarded reasonable for each day of business.

Stream Pollution Taken Up

The opposition to the state executive council's anticipated order against stream pollution made the first move to organize for a fight Wednesday afternoon when a committee of representatives from affected cities decided on mutual defense against action taken against any one of them.

Representatives from Des Moines, Fort Dodge, Marshalltown, Cedar Rapids, Cedar Falls and Waterloo attended this special meeting, which was presided over by Mayor Parker Crouch of Des Moines.

Frank Pierce, secretary treasurer of the organization, told delegates that during the past year the league enjoyed its most profitable year. He said income was slightly over three thousand dollars, and that expenses were only slightly less.

COMBINED BAND EVENT PLANNED

75 Piece Band Will Offer Program at Wilton Aug. 22

Wilton Junction music lovers will have an opportunity of hearing a concert by a 75 piece band Saturday evening when the Wilton concert and the Bennett community band offer a program. The event is scheduled to commence at 8:15 p. m.

The two bands are under the direction of Mat Starck, of Muscatine, and will present the following program:

Part one—March, "The New Friendship," by Jewell; overture, "The Gypsy Festival," by Hayes; reverie, "Golden Sunset," by Finder; intermezzo, "Nan Valse," by Fulton; Cuban dance, "De Mangles," by Kiefer; march, "Utility," by Hughes.

Part two—Medley of Southern melodies, "by Hayes; march, "Integrity," by Russell; caprice, "In a Woodland Glade," by Holmes; "Dull Razor Blues," by Huffine;

IOWA DENTIST FOUND INSANE

AUDUBON, Ia.—(INS)—Dr. Roy Smith, former local dentist who recently elected to leave the state in preference to being committed to the state hospital at Clarinda, nesday was in that institution.

Two weeks ago, following a hearing before the sanity commission, Dr. Smith went to Excelsior Spring, Mo. Missouri officials, however, returned him to Audubon following lodging of complaints against him by Missouri residents. At a hearing Tuesday he was committed to the state hospital.

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

FOR SALE!

1931 Plymouth Sedan	$450.00
1930 Ford Coupe	$385.00
1927 Buick Sedan	$365.00
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1924 Ford Coupe	$ 35.00

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PICKLES for sale, all sizes. Paul McGill, Conesville, Iowa.

PROFITABLE place of business. Address or inquire Box No. 2, Free Press.

FOR SALE or will exchange for grain, 2 recorded yearling Poland China brood sows. L. M. Neyens. Phone 1915-R.

THREE ACRES of melons one mile south of Moscow. Wm. McKillip.

1—FORD one-ton truck for sale cheap. Ed Leu Garage.

STORE building on Monroe Street. Phone 1387-J.

STRAY BULLET KILLS BOY

Ottawa, Ill., —(INS) — A stray bullet was today held responsible for the death Wednesday of Sam Canale, 9. A .22-calibre slug passed through his left side and cut an artery leading to his heart as he rode a bicycle with his friend, Bernard Moore, 10, on a country road near here. The inquest was set for tomorrow as police attempted to learn who fired the shot.

FOR RENT

EIGHT ROOM house 600 West 5th street. Phone 2782-J or 2750.

MODERN 8-room house $30. Phone 938.

FOUR PARTLY modern rooms for rent. Phone 1706-W.

SIX ROOM house, East 9th street. Partly modern. L. M. Neyens. Phone 1915-R.

MODERN sleeping room and garage, 309 East 3rd street.

FOR RENT OR SALE: 7-room modern house and garage. Phone 51 or 2330.

WANTED TO RENT

THREE or 4-room furnished apartment, north or west side preferred. Box 4, Free Press.

Fulton 4-H Team Will Compete at Davenport Friday

Mrs. Grayce Rylander, home demonstration agent, will take a team of Fulton Royal Workers club girls, the Misses Alice and Vera Jenkins, to Davenport on Friday to compete for district honors at the Mississippi Valley Fair and Exposition. They will present the demonstration which won them second place at the West Liberty fair last year, "Modern Togs for the Baby." Mrs. Henry Paul is the club leader.

The Medical Trust Exposed

BY NORMAN BAKER

This is the twentieth installment of a serial article which will appear daily in the Midwest Free Press

No More Charity Work by Trust Doctors

"The physician is no more obligated to provide for the care of the indigent sick than his fellow citizen.

"When a hospital offers its facilities to a mixed clientele, pay, part pay and pauper, the distinction between the sources of those facilities should be clearly recognized. The physical equipment and service is of general public origin, and their uses may be sold or given away at the discretion of the lay boards; but the professional facilities are, and always must be, the combination of the medical staff as individuals and cannot become in any sense the property of the institution.

"No hospital instituted and supported by public philanthropy or community co-operation of any kind should be permitted to increase its revenues, and so reduce its financial burden on the public, by any system of collecting fees for medical attendance, and thus engaging in the corporate practice of medicine."

In plainer words, the second paragraph means that in publicly-owned or charitable hospitals, the nurses and other attendants are parts of the service, but the doctors are a high and privileged professional class standing above the "service" whose established fees and charges must not be disturbed or exploited in the interest of the patients. The second paragraph means that charity hospitals supported by the public must not count any longer on reduced medical trust fees or charges to help the hospitals, for they are not going to get them.

For Disabled Veterans With Nonservice Disabilities

"Whereas, the government of the United States has determined upon a policy of rendering aid to disabled veterans with nonservice-connected disabilities, and the policy at present involves a large outlay on the part of the government in the construction and administration of government hospitals;

"Resolved, that the American Medical Association urge upon veterans' organizations and the Congress of the United States the wisdom and fairness of administering benefits to disabled veterans with nonservice-connected disabilities through the agency of a disability insurance policy which, would be issued to each veteran and which would provide for the payment of a sum of money per week in the event of total disability during the period of such total disability, on the satisfactory proof of such total disability being furnished the government. That the Veterans' Bureau in each state be final arbiter in determining questions of disability when disputes arise. Such a policy would enable the government to render the necessary aid to worthy veterans. It would preserve to the veteran his liberty of choosing the persons and institutions to render such aid. It would preserve the often declared policy of the government not to enter private business in competition with its citizens."

Do you get the above? Well, this is what it means. The government at present is giving free hospital service to disabled veterans, even to disabled veterans who were not disabled in the war. The trust doctors are horrified at seeing this money getting away from them. They propose to put a stop to it by having a system of insurance inaugurated. This would put the money right into the hands of the individual soldiers where the medical trust doctors could go after it and get it. They insist on the disabled soldier having the right to spend this money with anybody who can persuade him to spend it with them. They are striking at the whole system of free hospitalization of disabled soldiers for a few paltry dollars.

SALE

CONSTABLE SALE

Will Be Held at 1:30 P. M.
Saturday, August 22
309 EAST SIXTH ST.

AT THE JOHN MILLAR WAREHOUSE
Consisting of Household Goods of all Description.

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PRINTING FOR YOU—All kinds at reasonable prices. Letterheads, envelopes, invoices, cards, sale bills, booklets, catalogues, wedding announcement cards, reception cards. All at prices that will astonish you. **FREE PRESS OFFICE.** Phone 2900

QUILTING PIECES — Assorted prints, fast colors; 4 pounds, $1.00, postpaid. Satisfaction guaranteed. L. M. Renner, Sheffield, Ill.

EAVES TROUGH and conductor pipe, roof repair. Phone 209-W. 220 Walnut. Aitken Sheet Metal.

RE-ROOF with Old American Tee-Lock shingles. W. A. Leonard, Contractor.

DANCE AT KAHLERS pavilion, Wilton, Iowa, Thursday, August 20. Music by Flindt and his Varsity Band.

DENVER, COLORADO this week. New York City, Sept. 1st. Schmelzer's Transfer. Phone 2942.

PERMANENT WAVING, $5.00. Hotel Muscatine Beauty Shop. Phone 248.

CLASSIFIELD DISPLAY

For Sale

1—1929 Model "A" 1½ Ton Truck with grain body $360.
1—Model "T" 1 Ton Truck with grain body and stock rack $75.

Bruemmer Motor Co.
Authorized Ford Dealers
217 East Third St. Phone 561

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AUTO GLASS cut, polished, and installed. 20% discount during August. Auto parts for 300 cars. Open evenings and Sunday mornings. Auto Salvage and R. Store, 208 W. 2nd St., Phone 318.

SEE AND HEAR the new Atwater Kent radio. Every price range. Dick Anderson, 111-117 Chestnut.

SPECIAL the Charlmayne the most beautful of permanent waves, soft and lustrous for $4.00. Two for $7.00. Sanitary Barber and Beauty Shop. Phone 1238.

AUTOMOBILES

CAR WASHING—$1.00
BANKEE AUTO CO.
115 Cedar Street.
Phone 610

DON'T NEGLECT to have your radiator boiled out as overheating ruins your motor. Free Inspection. Grand Radiator Shop, 217 Walnut Street. Phone 1350-W.

PATENTS

SELL YOUR patent or invention by exhibiting your model or drawing at the Second and Greater International Patent Exposition, Chicago. Thousands of manufacturers and patent buyers will inspect new devices and patents for marketing. Very low rates. If you have no model, drawings and descriptions will do. Send for free pamphlet. B. Hamilton Edison, Managing Director, International Patent Exposition, Merchandise Mart, Chicago.

DEFENDS POLICY OF LEGIONAIRES

Says Organization Will Not Burden Country

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and, in my opinion, it never will in the future, ask congress to enact any legislation that is unfair, or that would place an unjust burden on our country," he said.

The Legion legislative program is being largely framed in departmental conventions, which are naming delegates to the Detroit gathering. Any predictions at this time are nothing more, he warned.

But based on the past action of the Legion, O'Neil indicated that complete payment of the soldier's bonus may be asked, liberalization of the world war veterans act urged, including pensions for widows and orphans, unemployment relief, building of a "treaty navy" and legislation to take the profit out of war.

O'Neil declared that the soldiers compensation law, under which veterans could borrow up to 50 percent of their policies, has been misrepresented. No burden has been placed on the taxpayers, he said. Instead, the government, by loaning to veterans at 4 1-2 percent and borrowing money at much less, is making money on the loans.

Fruitland Farmer Presents N. Baker With Canteloupes

W. J. Shoultz, a farmer living about two miles southeast of Fruitland raises exceptionally good cantaloupes. This fact is attested to by Norman Baker, publisher of the Free Press, who was presented with a basket of them Wednesday.

The melons are of a high class variety and good appearing. They also have a fine flavor, Mr. Baker declares.

Black Tulips

Lovely ornaments for a cream colored wall are tulip buds of black with slender stems of silver. There are no leaves.

Domino Case

A pink leather case holds a set of dominoes beautifully made and worthy of their setting.

OUR ERROR, WE'RE SORRY

In the issue of Wednesday a typographical error occurred in an advertisement signed by D. A. Willis. A line reading "4½ percent Bond interest from taxation is $177,000.00" should have shown the figure to be $117,000.00. The advertisement is reprinted, correctly, on this page.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS OF TIME EXTENSION

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Municipal Board of Water and Light Trustees for the City of Muscatine, Iowa on Wednesday, August 26, 1931 at

The Last Fateful Hours!

The Road Ahead May Be Strewn With Barriers, But These Will Be of Slight Consequence to Those Who Go Steadily Onward and Out Into the "Land Where Happiness Lies"

With the final hour, 10 o'clock Saturday night, emblazoned on their minds, stirring scenes are being enacted by candidates in the Midwest Free Press automobile and gold campaign, now swiftly drawing to a close. Aroused to unprecedented opportunities of winning a beautiful motor car or a big cash prize, every passing hour is instilling new energy into ambitious workers. Everywhere they are swarming in eager, anxious quest for subscriptions that will win for them the big votes—and in the end, an automobile or big cash award. These workers pay no attention to frequent rumors that circulate with hope of damaging effect. Misleading stories have but one object—influencing some candidate to retire for fear of being passed by someone else in the race. Such tales have no foundation whatever. It is obvious that no one can determine the ultimate result of the campaign. Courage and downright hustle are the two main things to observe. Votes are the only things that will win the prizes, and every candidate should—and for that matter, is—taking upon himself or herself to annex just as many votes as possible between now and the close.

--DETAILS OF FINAL COUNT--

In order to maintain the utmost secrecy as to the number of subscriptions turned in by each candidate this, last week of The Midwest Free Press Big Automobile and Cash Campaign, the race will be brought to a close under a Sealed Ballot Box

No subscriptions whatever will be accepted through the campaign department this week, but instead, candidates themselves will deposit their final collections in the SEALED BALLOT BOX located at the American Savings Bank, corner Second and Sycamore streets, this city. And by so doing, no one, not even the campaign manager, or the publishers, can possibly know the voting strength of the respective candidates, which precludes any possibility of favoritism and insures fairness to the minutest degree.

Locked and sealed the Ballot Box has been placed in the lobby of the American Savings Bank, where it will remain until the closing hour of the campaign, 10 o'clock Saturday night, August 22nd. When the final hour arrives the campaign will be declared closed. The judges will break the seals, unlock the box and immediately thereafter, or as soon as votes can be issued on subscriptions contained therein, the last count will begin. The winners will be determined by adding the vote totals, earned up to the close of the third period to those contained in the ballot box. There will be no waiting; no complicated count, but simply a matter of adding the vote totals and announcing the winners.

It is calculated that it will take some time, however, to canvass the findings in the box and to determine the winners. The official results will be published Monday in the Midwest Free Press.

Read This Page Carefully

Heretofore out-of-town candidates have had the privilege of mailing their letters containing subscriptions from their home town at the closing of various "periods." This will not be permitted the last night of the campaign. ALL VOTES and SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE IN THE SEALED BOX WHEN THE RACE IS CLOSED AT 10 O'CLOCK.

OUT-OF-TOWN Candidates --Attention:

Out-of-town candidates should, where it is possible to do so, arrange to deposit envelopes in person at the bank, but where this can not be done, letters containing final remittances should be addressed to CAMPAIGN DEPARTMENT, THE MIDWEST FREE PRESS, MUSCATINE, IOWA, and plainly marked FOR THE SEALED BALLOT BOX—NOT TO BE OPENED. Particular care should be taken to post such letters in good time to reach this office before the final hour, and it is advisable that they should be under a special delivery stamp.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

All subscriptions deposited in the sealed box must be accompanied by cash, money order or certified check for the full amount to cover. Personal checks up to $39 are acceptable, provided no two checks are signed by the same party. This is made in all fairness to all candidates and will be strictly adhered to.

Last Period

Embracing the last week, terminating August 22nd, the following number of votes and points will be issued on subscriptions:

VOTE SCHEDULE		POINTS SCHEDULE On $300 Special Prize	
¼ year	500	¼ year	3-4
½ year	1,000	½ year	1½
1 year	4,000	1 year	3
2 years	30,000	2 years	6
3 years	40,000	3 years	9
4 years	95,000	4 years	12
6 years	160,000	5 years	15
		6 years	18

A special ballot good for 100,000 votes will be issued on every "club" of $20 turned in. This is in addition to regular number of votes allowed on every subscription secured up until 10 o'clock Saturday night, August 22nd, in the last hour of the campaign.

All Candidates

Must Certify and Attest to the Correctness of Their Vote Total by

THURSDAY

NIGHT AT 8:00 O'CLOCK

BALLOT BOX

Is Now Located at the American Savings Bank, Corner Second and Sycamore Streets

Judges

A number of local men will be asked to act as judges, to canvass the findings of the Ballot Box and to award the prizes. The members of this committee will be gentlemen who are well known to everyone in Muscatine and the surrounding territory, and the final results given out by them will be beyond dispute.